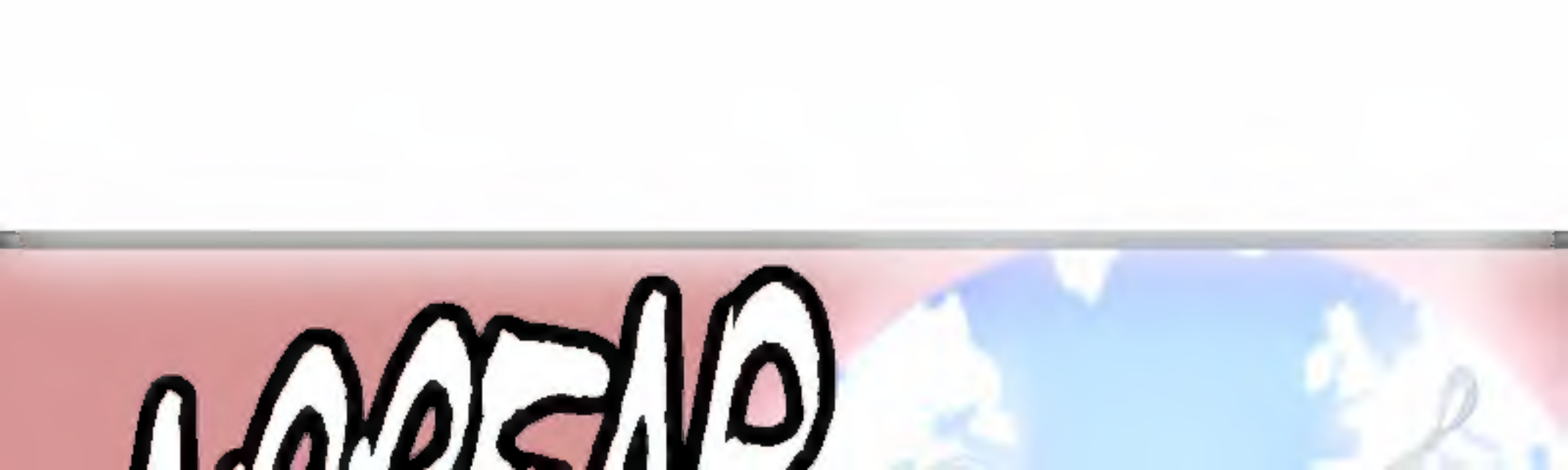
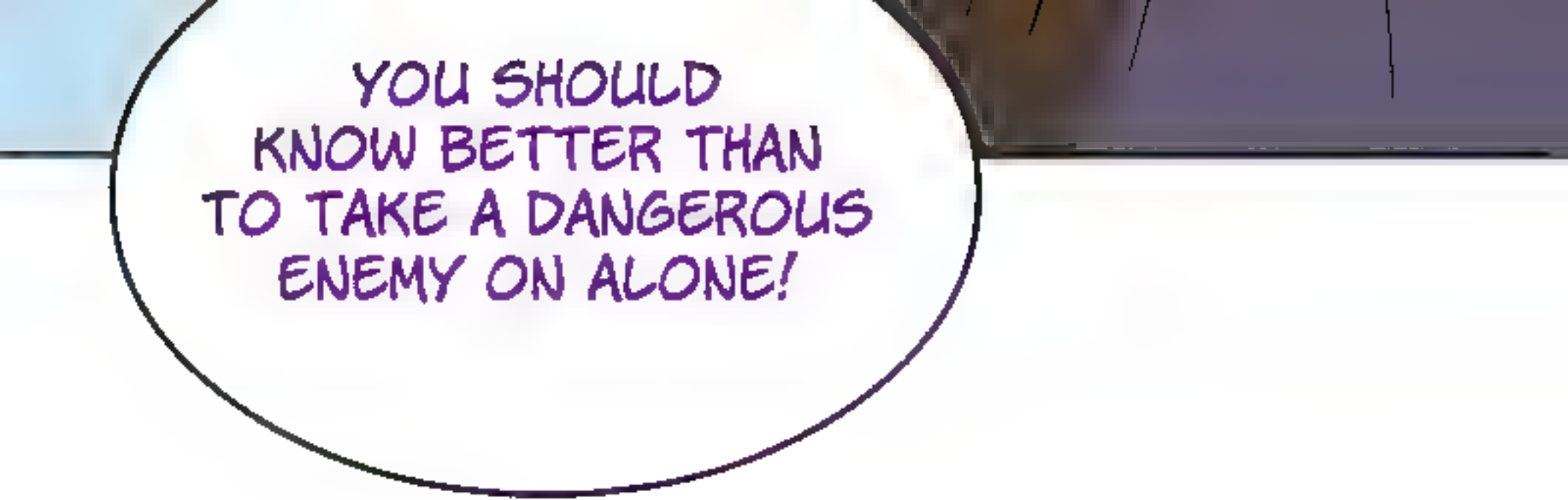
PLINK


LEGEND

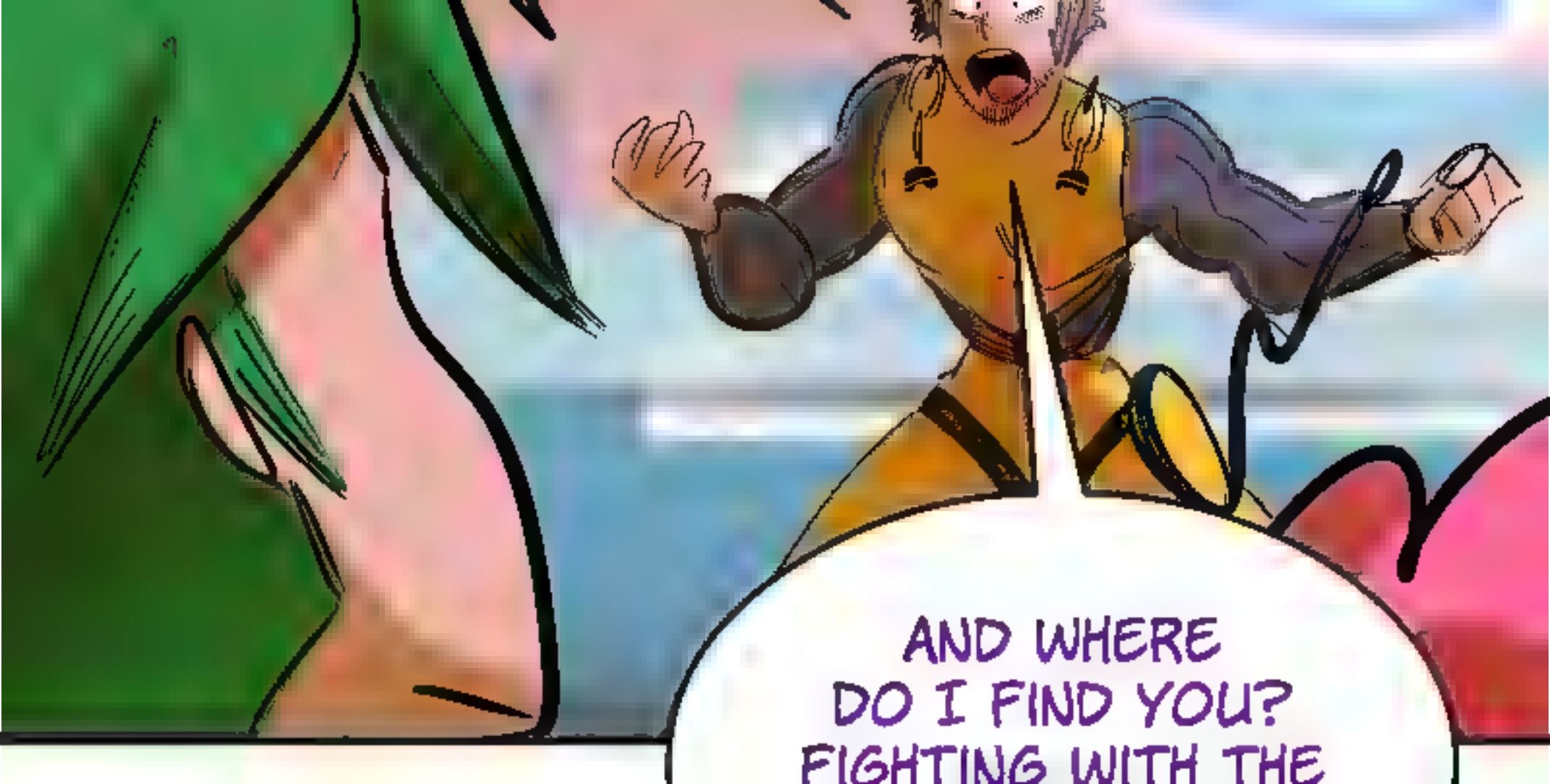
APPEAR
ZIP
ZIP
GASP

WHAT HAPPENED BACK THERE, CADET?

release


YOU SHOULD KNOW BETTER THAN TO TAKE A DANGEROUS ENEMY ON ALONE!

I WAS LOOKING FOR YOU FOR 20 MINUTES!


AND WHERE
DO I FIND YOU?
FIGHTING WITH THE

COCKROACH KING HIMSELF!

YOU'RE ON PROBATION! FROM NOW ON, YOU DON'T DO ANYTHING WITHOUT MY ORDER!

AND YOU BROUGHT HER!?

A SERIOUS OFFENSE TO BRING AN UNAUTHORIZED INDIVIDUAL INTO VSC HEADQUARTERS!

I DIDN'T

I DIDN'T
EXACTLY HAVE
TIME TO ASK
PERMISSION.

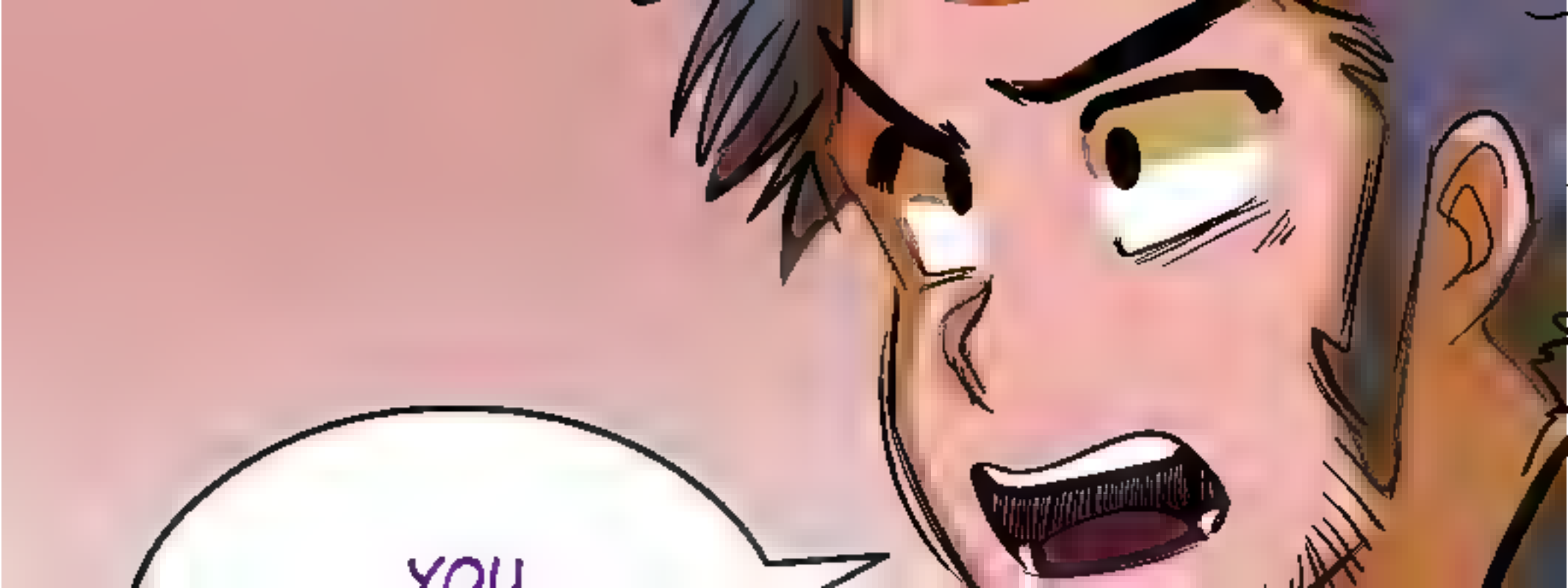
YOU PULLED ME AWAY WITHOUT ANY WARNING!

IF I DIDN'T PULL YOU OUT OF THERE WHEN I DID, YOU'D BE

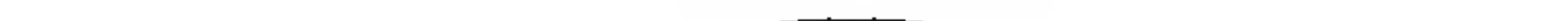
NO,
I HAD AN

OPENING! I ALMOST HAD HIM!

IF YOU'D JUST STOPPED TIME A LITTLE LONGER--

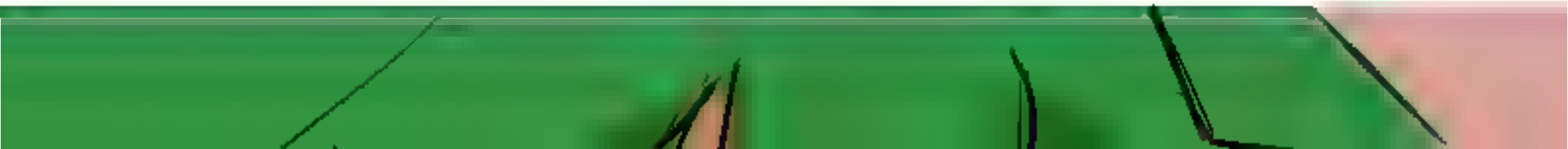

YOU

"ALMOST HAD HIM"?!


LOOK

AT YOU!
IT ONLY TOOK
HIM 2 SECONDS TO
BUST YOUR
ARM.

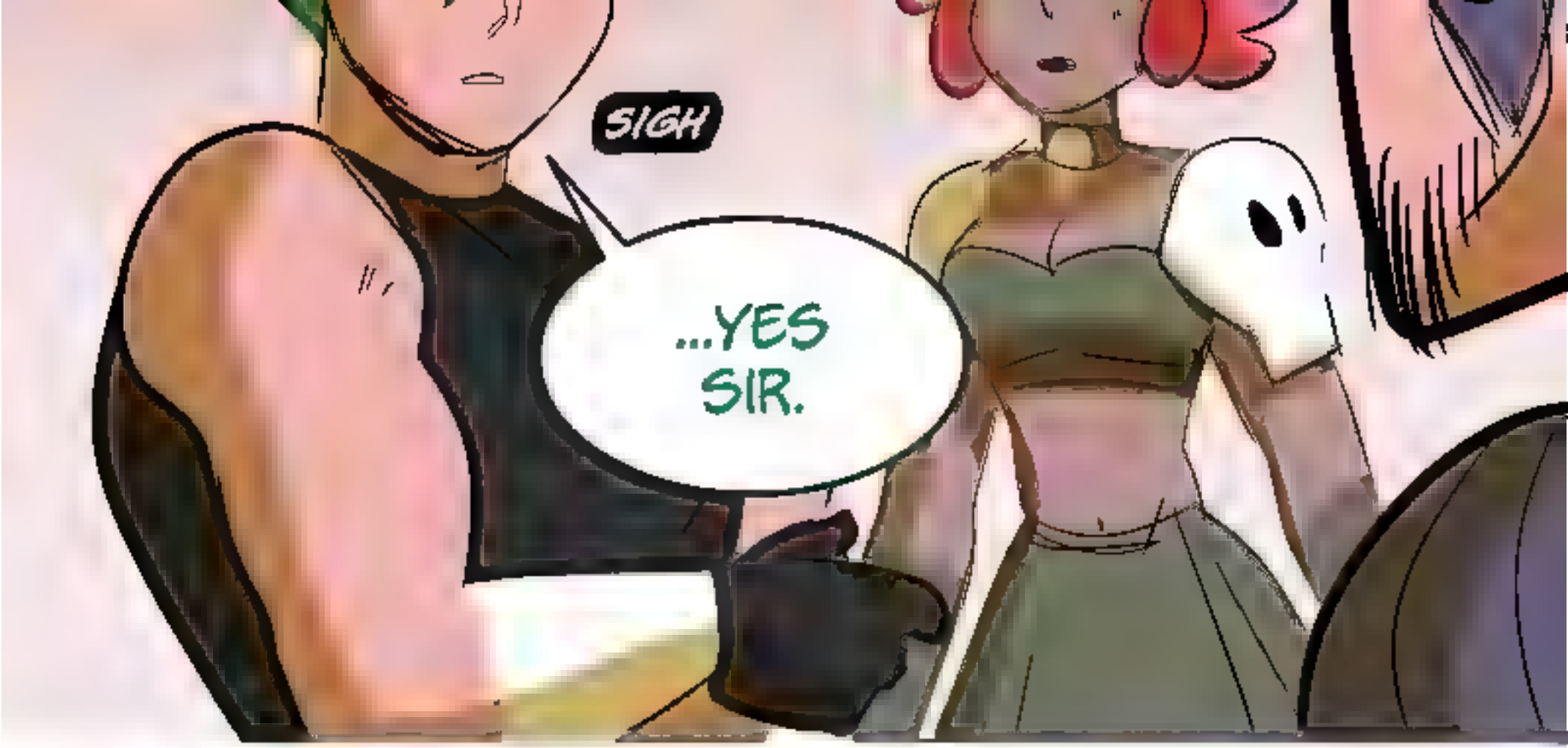
YOU'RE NO MATCH FOR THE COCKROACH KING!



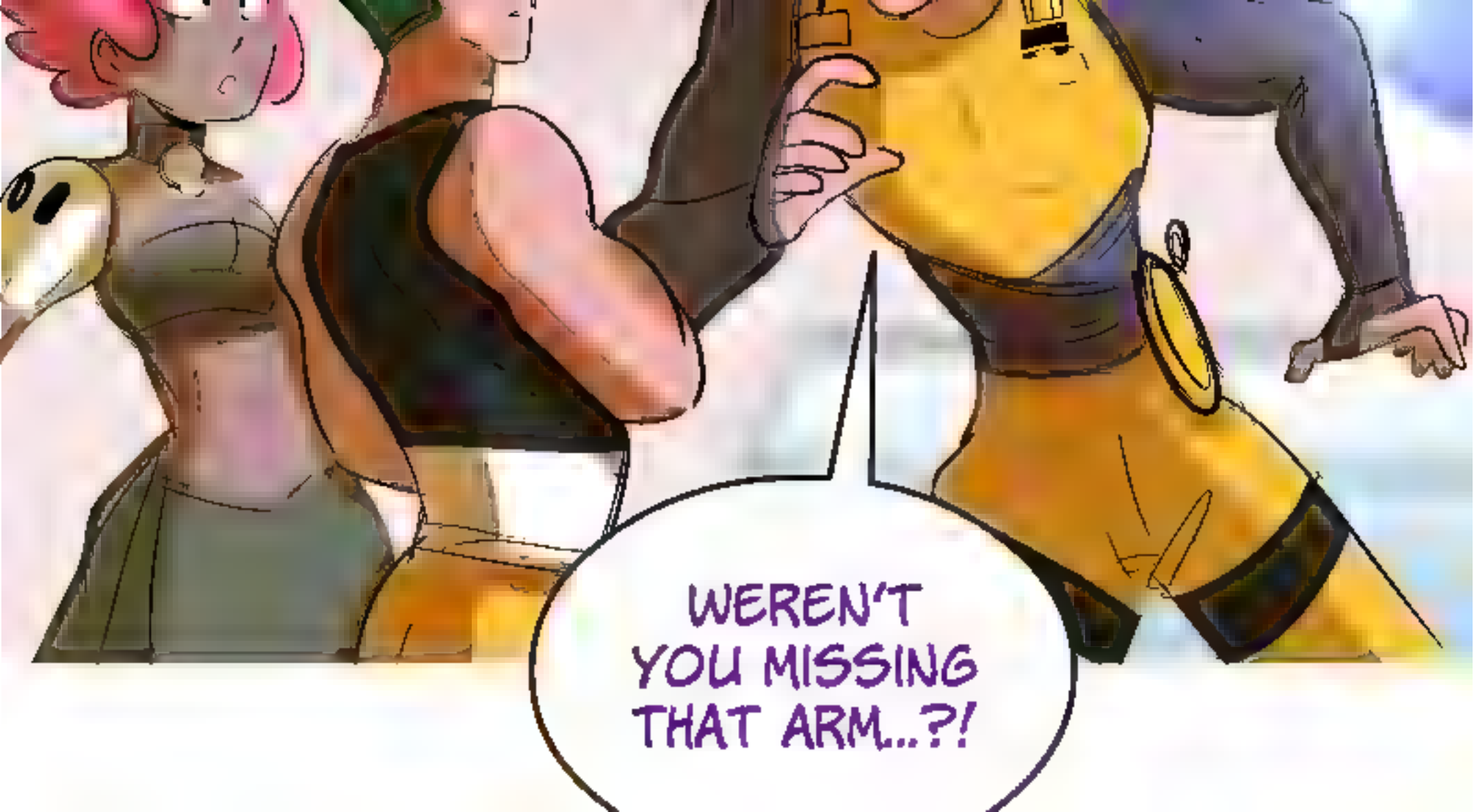
BUT--

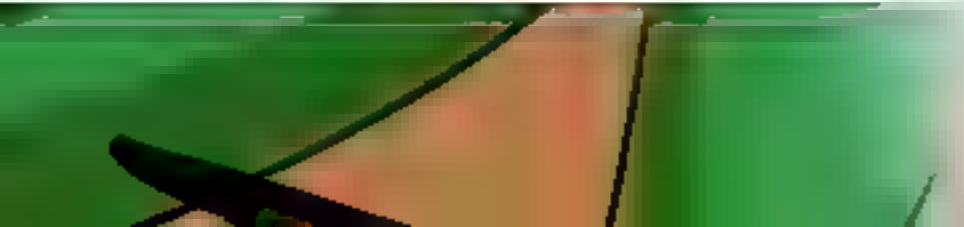
YOU'RE
NOT "MASIOSARE",
REMEMBER?

NOT YET.


SIGH
...YES SIR.

HOLD ON.


WEREN'T YOU MISSING THAT ARM...?!

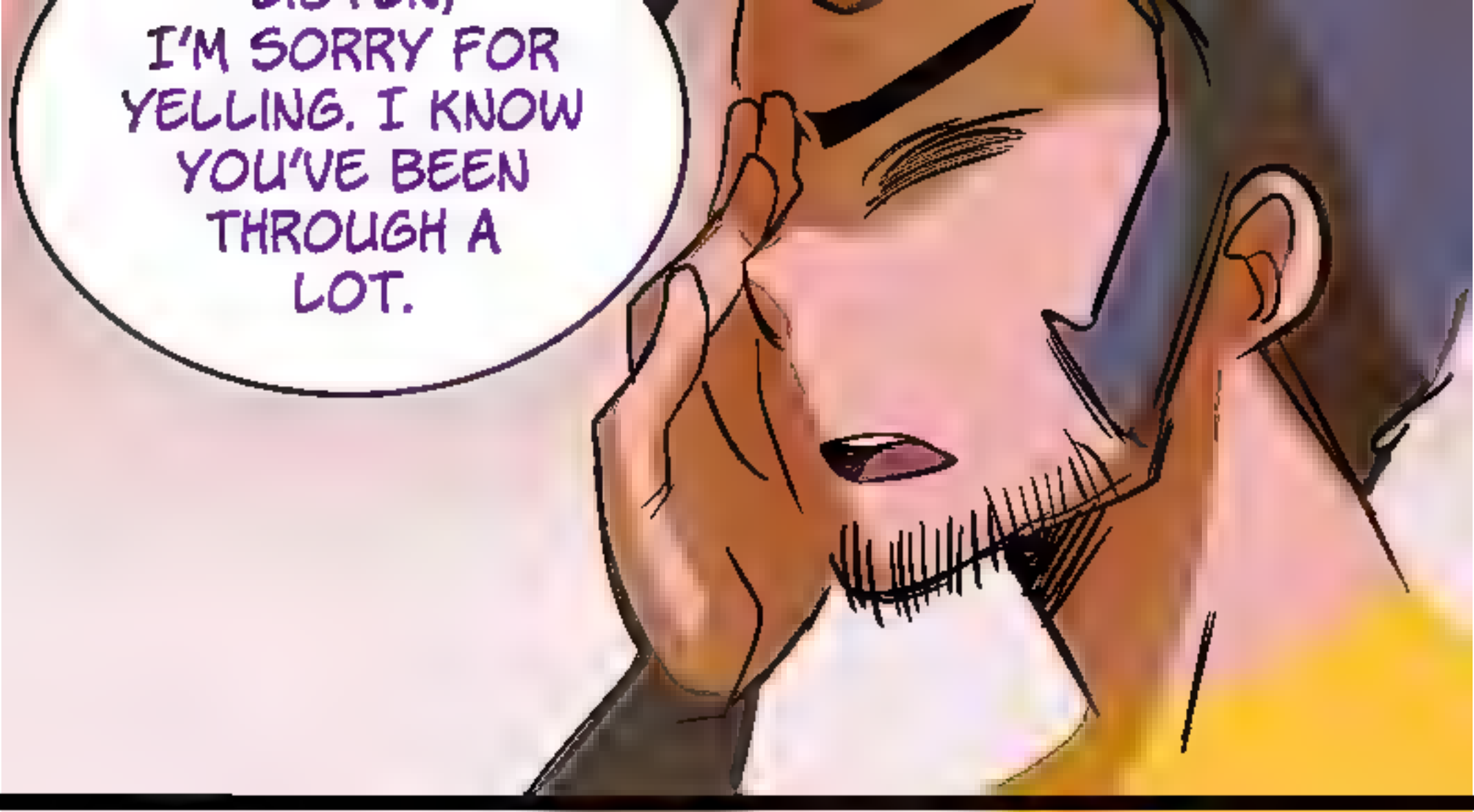


I CAN'T
TELL CAPTAIN IRO
THAT MASIOSARE'S
SHADOW SAVED ME
SO THAT I'D LIVE TO
BECOME MASIOSARE

IN THE FUTURE.

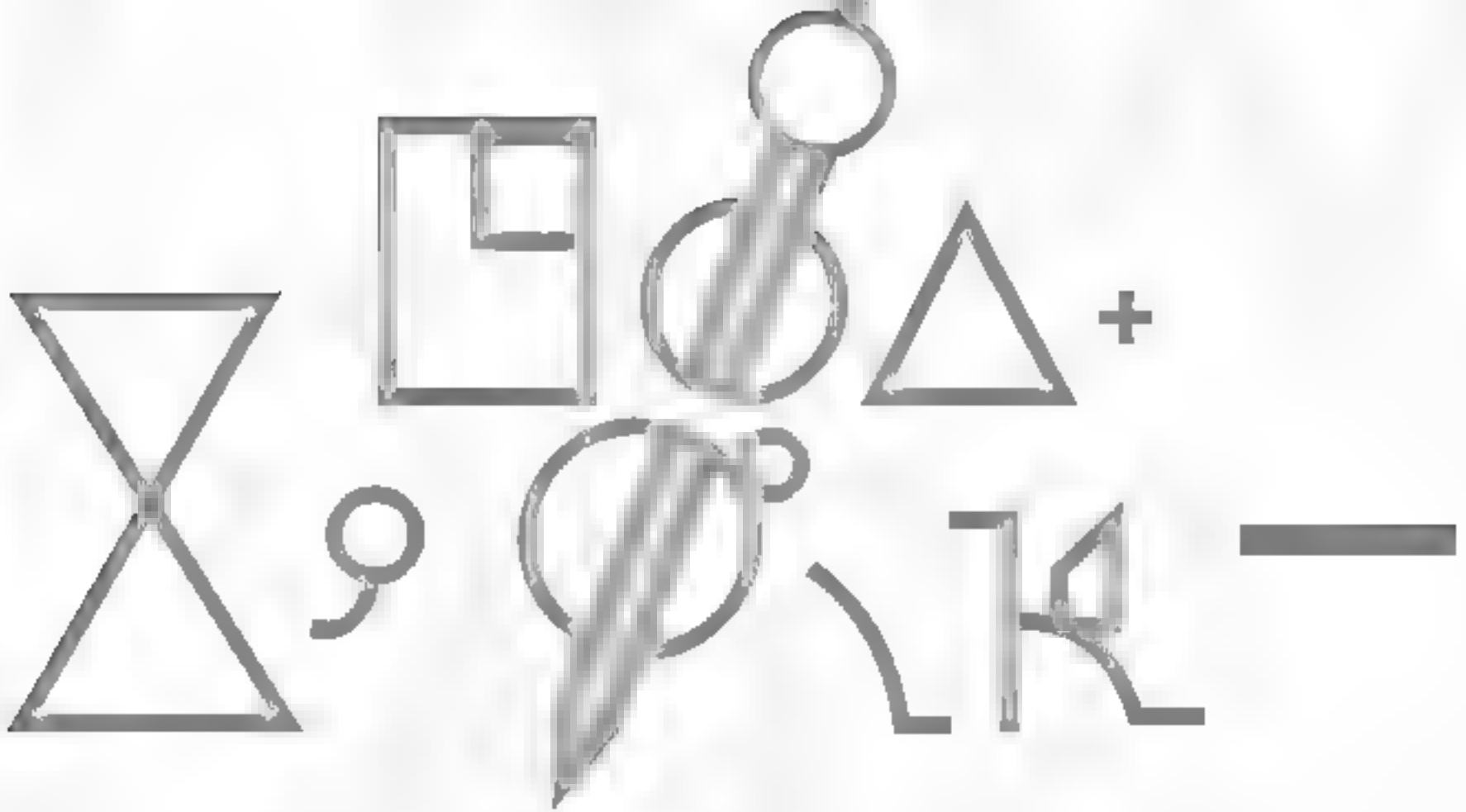
THE
LAST THING
I WANT IS TO
GIVE HIM THE SAME
HOPE.

SIGH
LISTEN,


I'M SORRY FOR YELLING. I KNOW YOU'VE BEEN THROUGH A LOT.

GIVE
ME YOUR ARM,

I'LL PATCH YOU UP.



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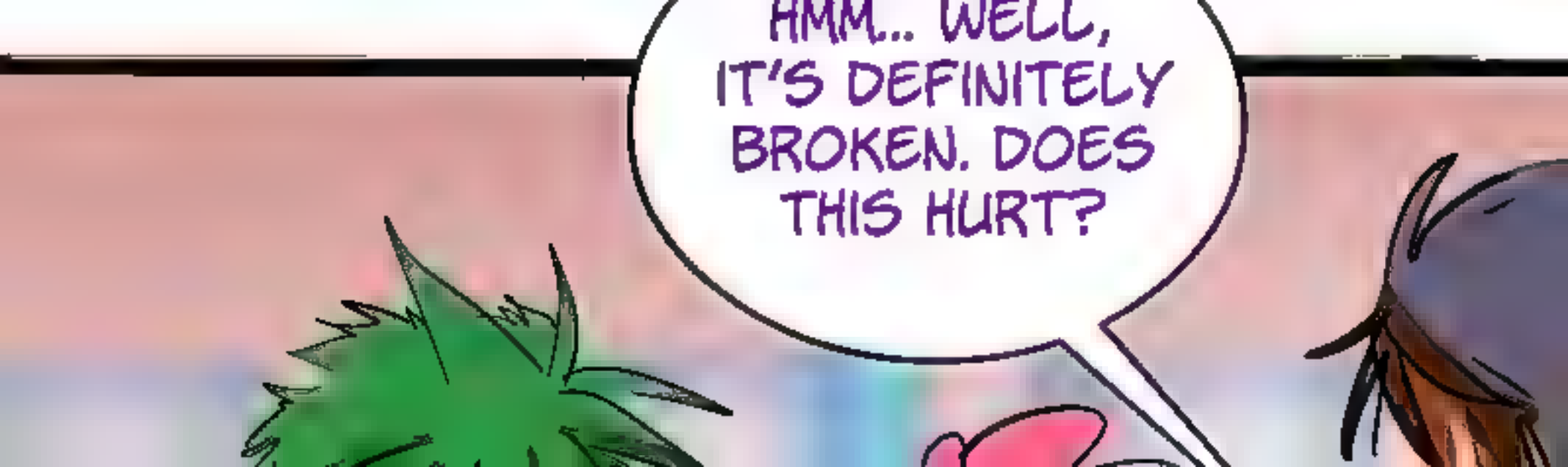
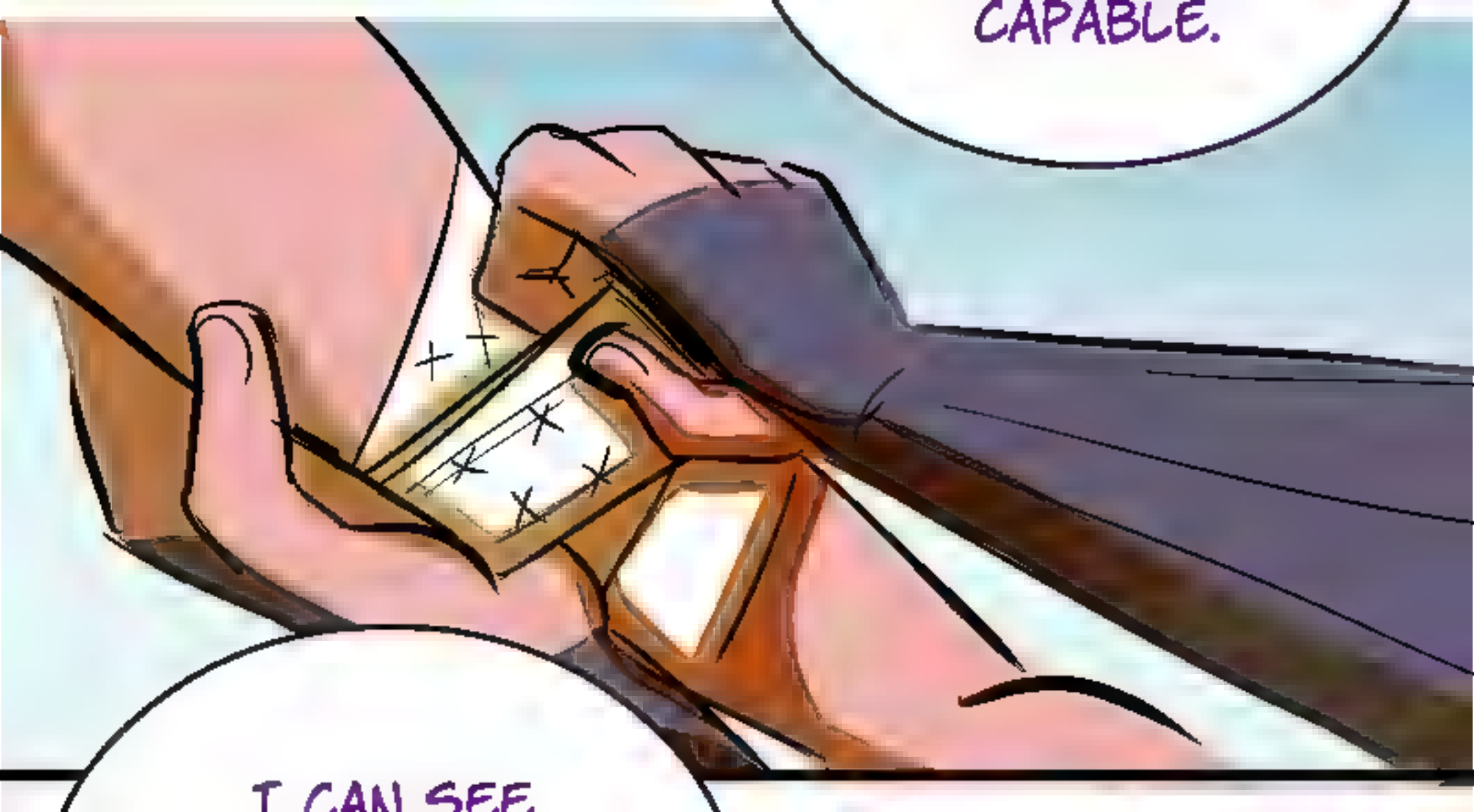
" TIME TABLE "


AMM... WELL, IT'S DEFINITELY BROKEN. DOES THIS HURT?

LISTEN, CADET... I DIDN'T SAY THOSE THINGS BECAUSE I DON'T BELIEVE YOU'RE


CAPABLE.
I CAN SEE

I CAN SEE
YOU'VE GROWN A
LOT SINCE I LAST
SAW YOU, AND
FRANKLY...

AHEM...
FRANKLY I COULDN'T BE MORE PROUD OF THE MAN YOU'VE BECOME.

wrap

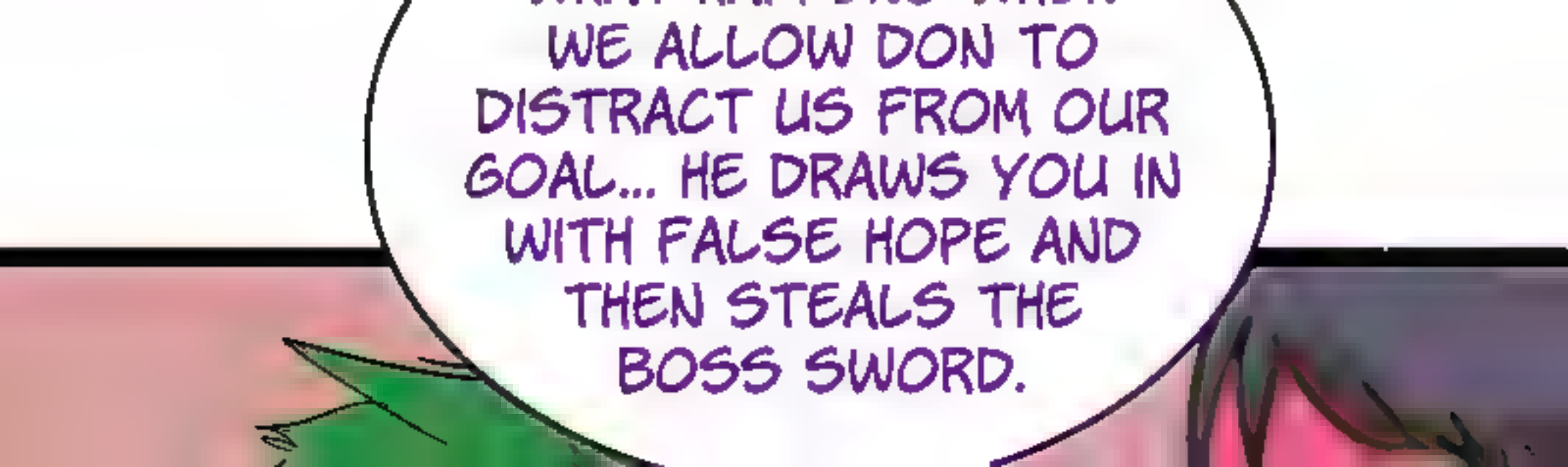
wrap
I KNOW
IT'S BEEN A
LONG TIME SINCE
I WAS YOUR CAPTAIN...
AND MAYBE YOU DON'T
THINK OF ME LIKE
THAT ANYMORE.

BUT
WE NEED TO
BE A TEAM.

AND OUR
TEAM'S GOAL IS
TO FIND THE SWORDS
BEFORE DON

DOES.

WE'VE SEEN
WHAT HAPPENS WHEN


WE ALLOW DON TO
DISTRACT US FROM OUR
GOAL... HE DRAWS YOU IN
WITH FALSE HOPE AND
THEN STEALS THE
BOSS SWORD.

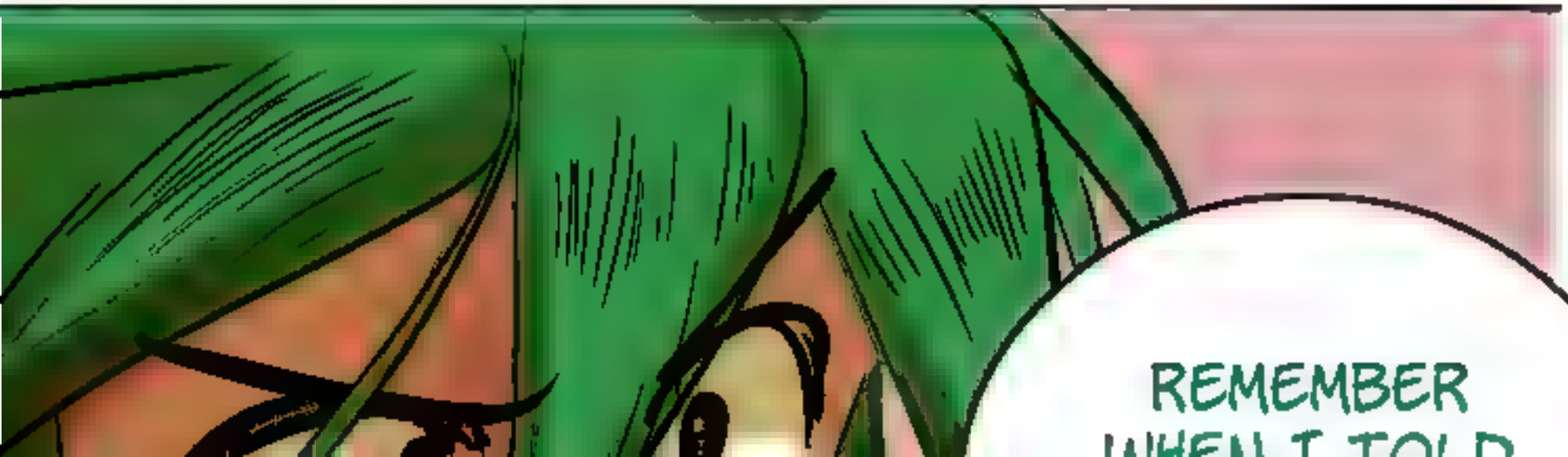
YOU THINK

YOU THINK HE STOLE THE BOSS SWORD? HE DIDN'T!

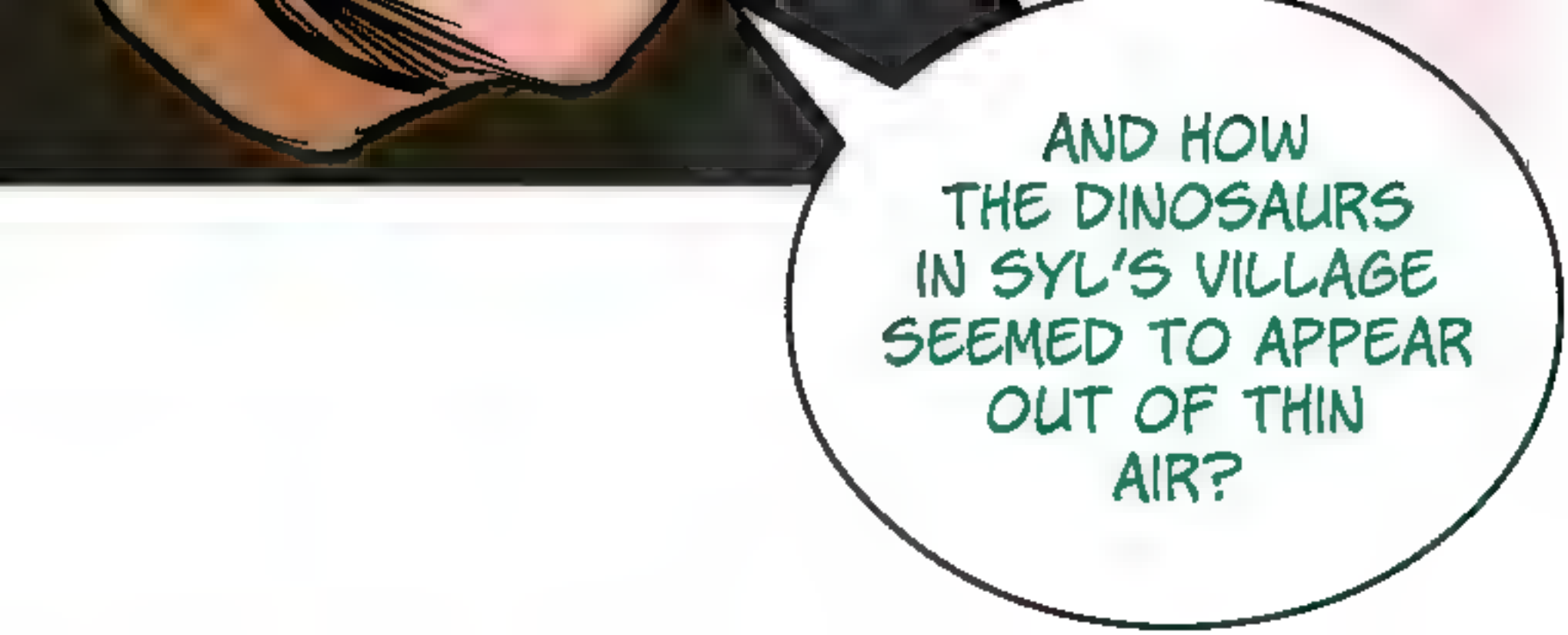
YOU STILL HAVE THE SWORD?!

WELL...
NO...

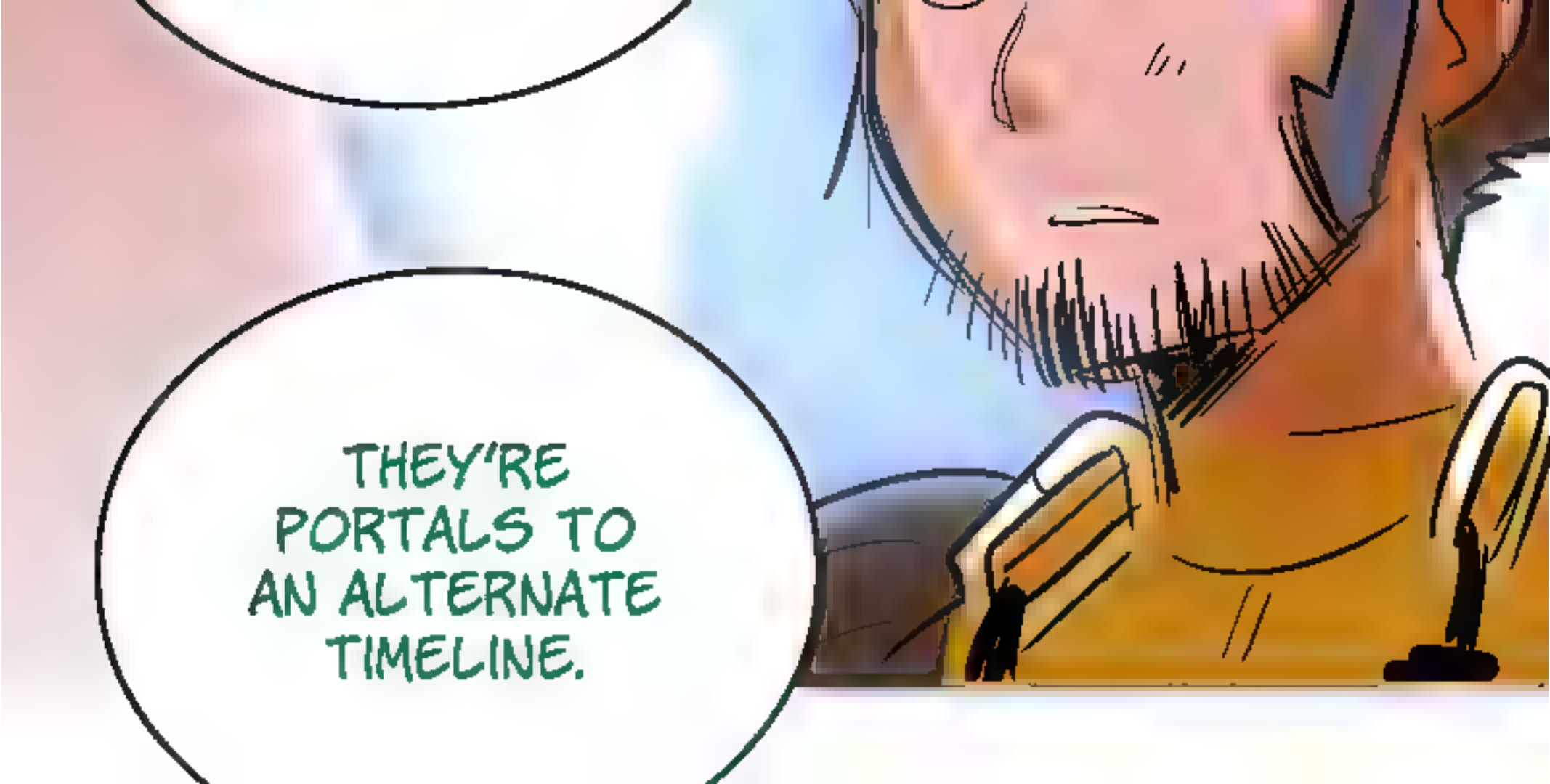
NO?!



WHEN I TOLD YOU ABOUT AMELIA'S FILE?


AND HOW THE DINOSAURS IN SYL'S VILLAGE SEEMED TO APPEAR OUT OF THIN AIR?

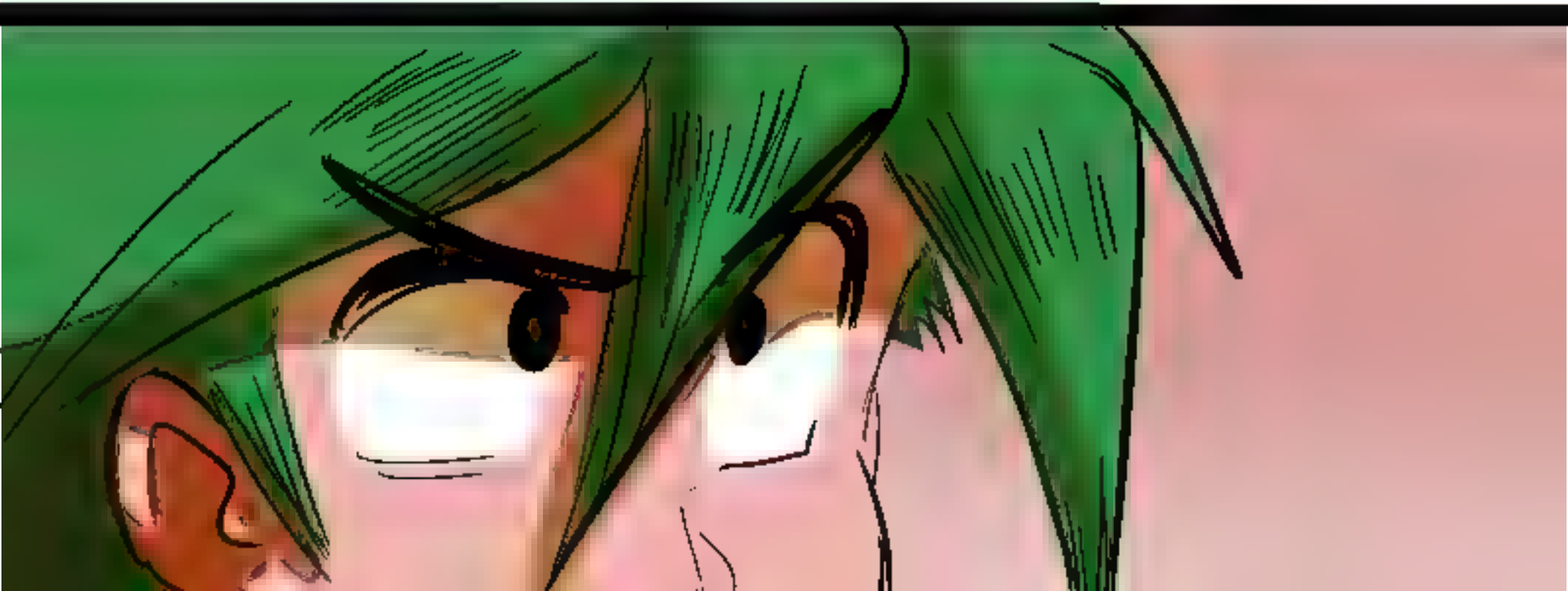
IT'S BECAUSE THERE ARE RIFTS IN SPACETIME!

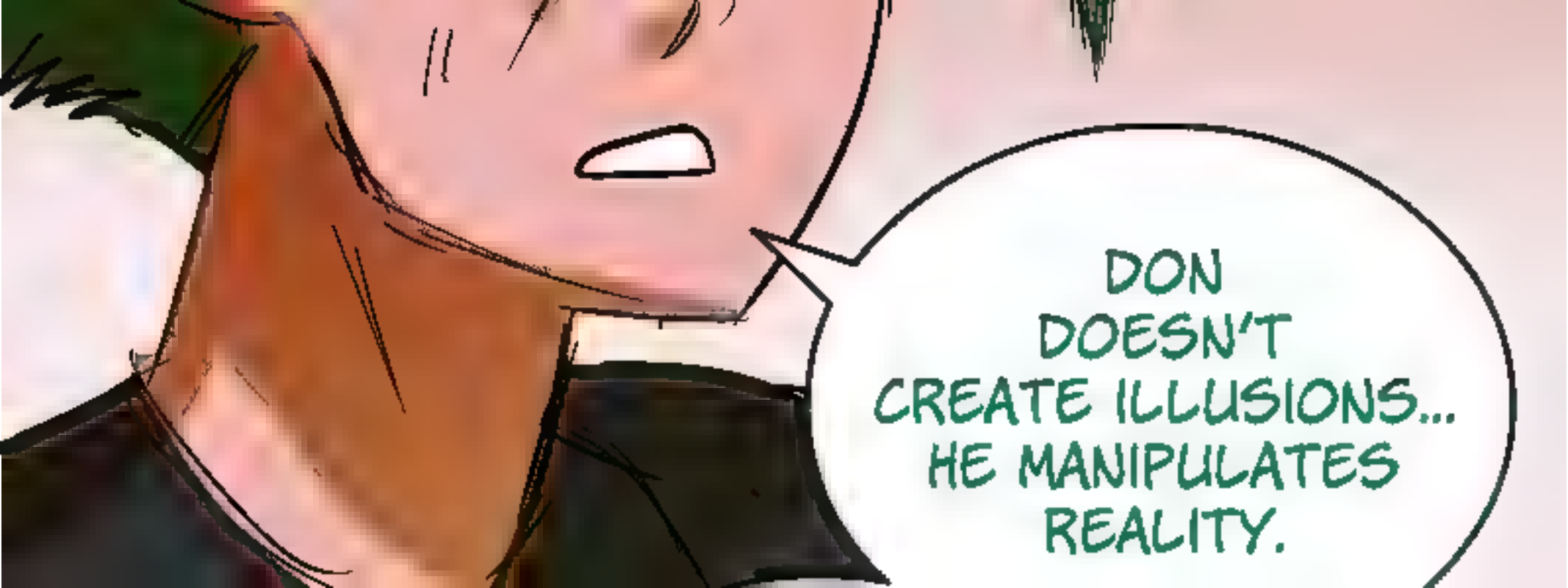

THEY'RE PORTALS TO AN ALTERNATE TIMELINE.

...BUT WE SEARCHED THAT WHOLE AREA AND DIDN'T SEE ANY RIFT.

ARE YOU SURE DON WASN'T CREATING SOME SORT OF... ILLUSION? TO TRICK YOU INTO LETTING HIM TAKE

THE SWORD?

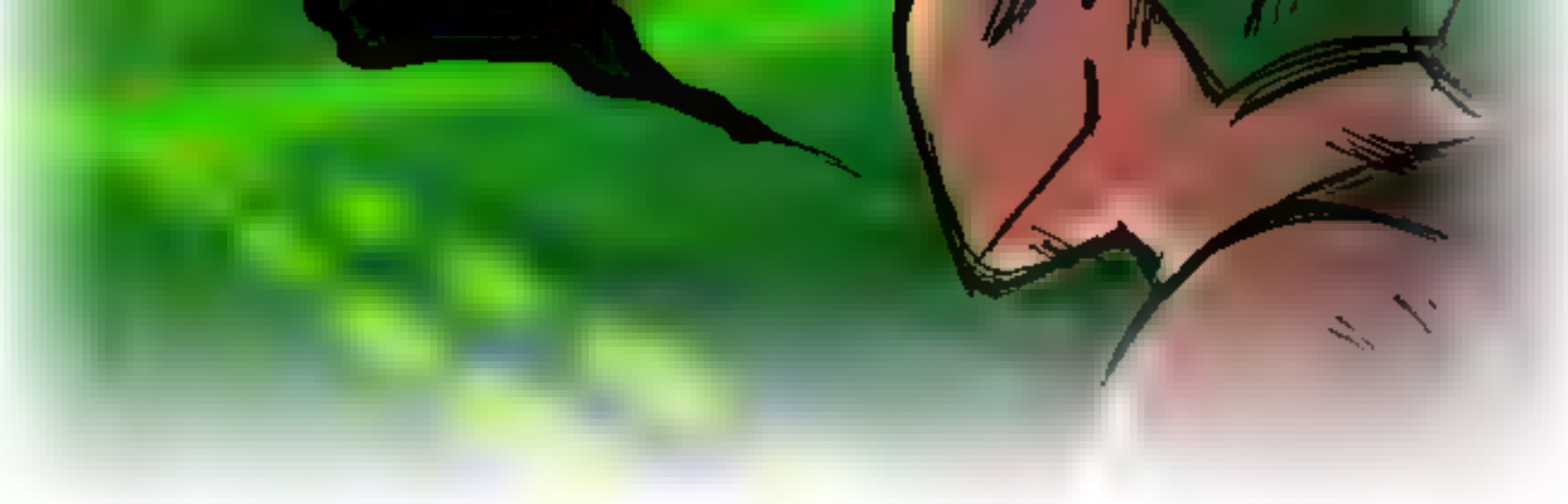



DON DOESN'T CREATE ILLUSIONS... HE MANIPULATES REALITY.

I'M SURE OF WHAT I SAW.

DON FELL
THROUGH ONE OF

THOSE RIFTS ON THE WAY BACK FROM THE ROOM OF SWORDS.



AND WHEN
I FELL THROUGH

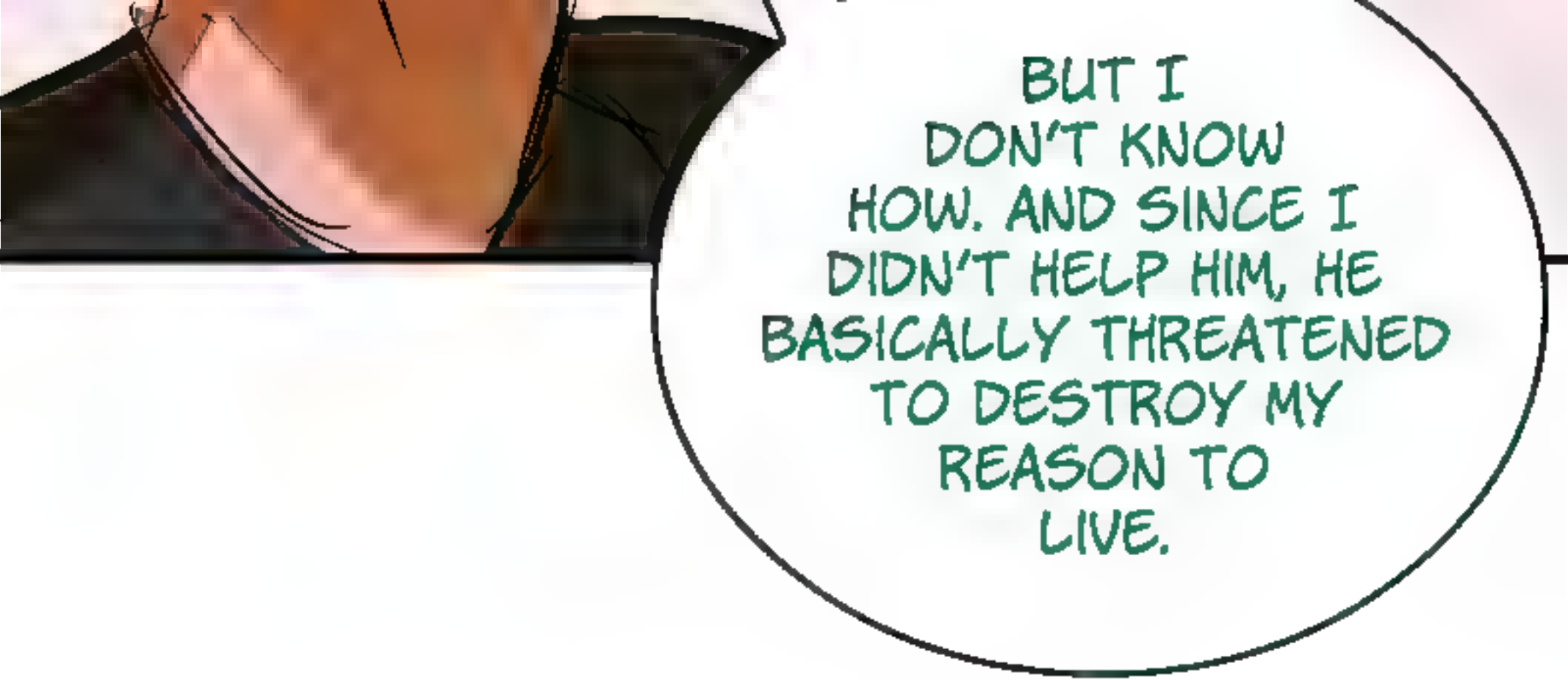
IN SYLVIA'S TIME,
HE WAS THERE, WAITING
TO STEAL THE
SWORD FROM
ME.

...WHEN
WE CROSSED BACK
THROUGH THE RIFT,
THE SWORD SORT OF
STRETCHED OUT LIKE A

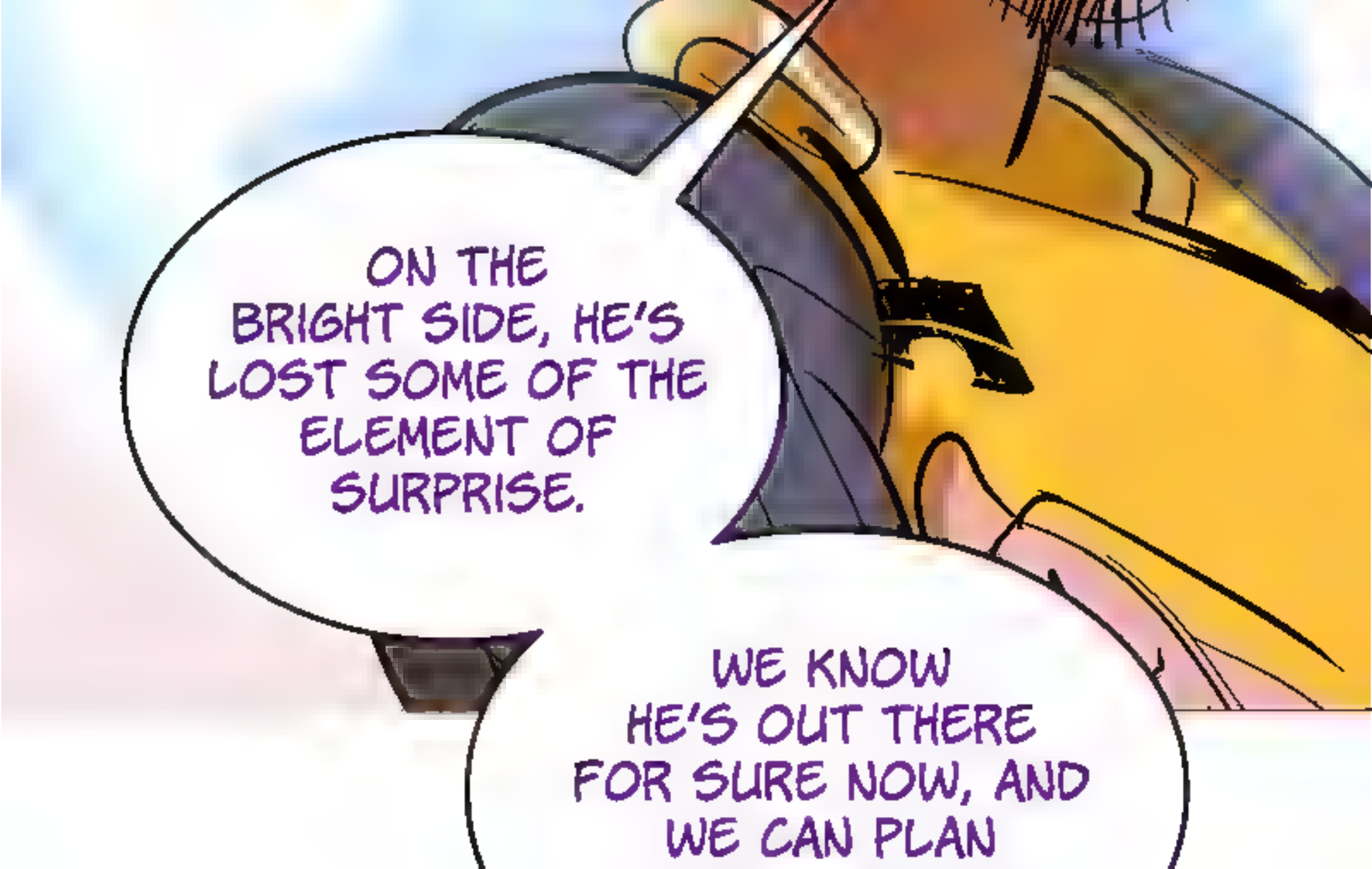
THREAD AND SEWED THE RIFT SHUT.

I DON'T

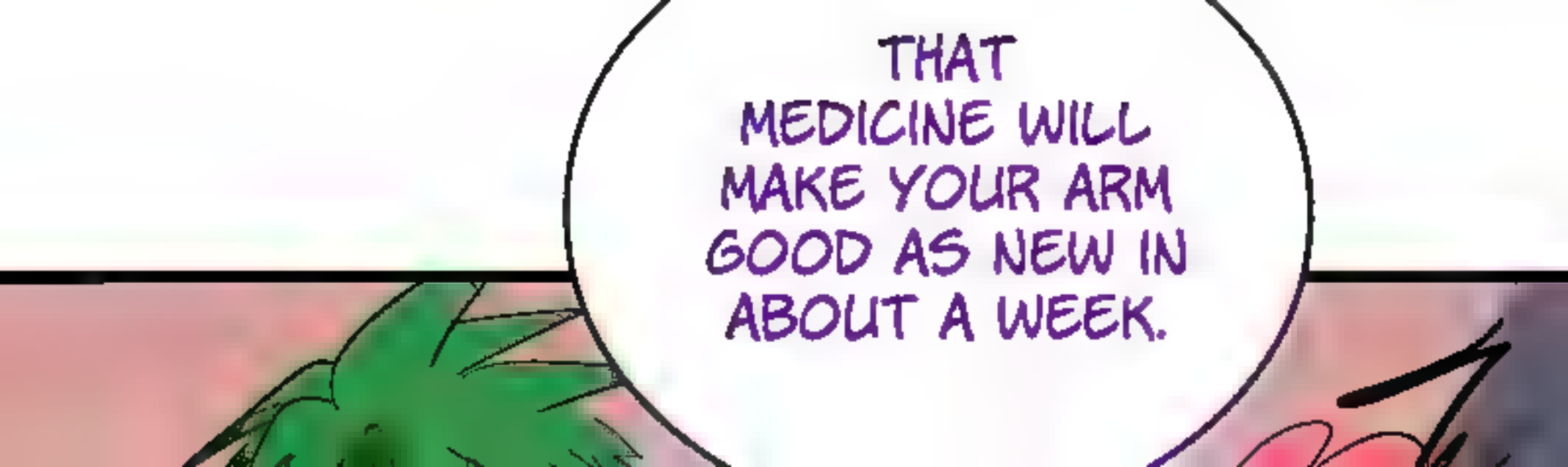
THINK DON COULD REACH THE SWORD HIMSELF, BECAUSE HE GOT ANGRY AND DEMANDED THAT I "UNDO IT".


BUT I DON'T KNOW HOW. AND SINCE I DIDN'T HELP HIM, HE BASICALLY THREATENED TO DESTROY MY REASON TO LIVE.

I'M SURE
HE'S GOT A SPECIAL
KIND OF HELL DESIGNED
FOR ALL OF US WHO'VE
STOOD IN HIS WAY OF
BECOMING A "GOD".


ON THE BRIGHT SIDE, HE'S LOST SOME OF THE ELEMENT OF SURPRISE.
WE KNOW HE'S OUT THERE FOR SURE NOW, AND WE CAN PLAN

ACCORDINGLY.

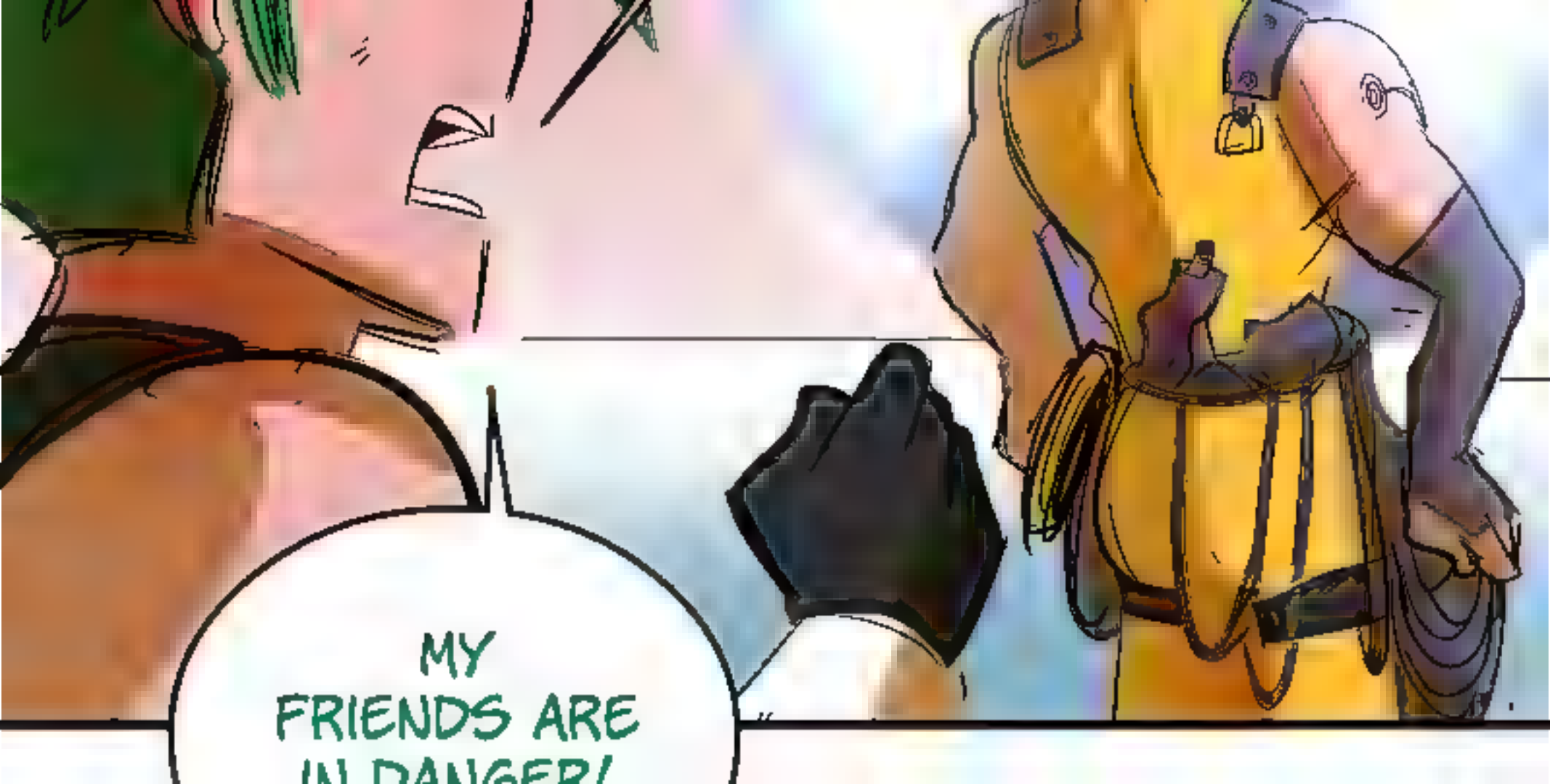

THAT MEDICINE WILL MAKE YOUR ARM GOOD AS NEW IN ABOUT A WEEK.

WE'LL USE THAT TIME TO REST AND PREPARE FOR THE NEXT MISSION.

A WHOLE

A WHOLE WEEK?

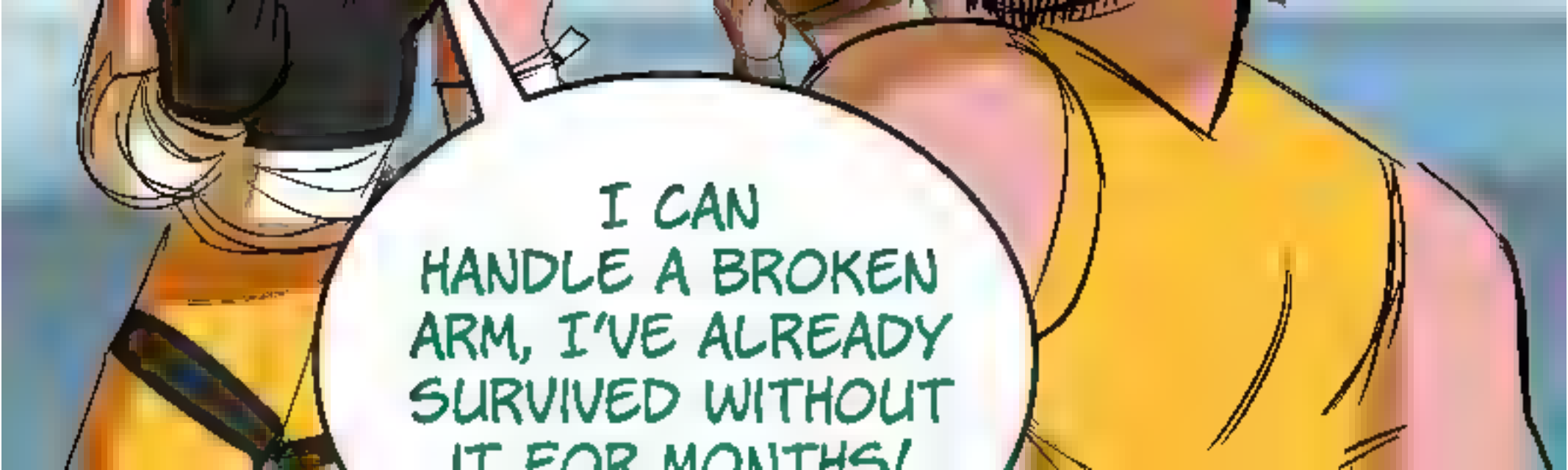
WE CAN'T WAIT THAT LONG!


MY FRIENDS ARE IN DANGER!

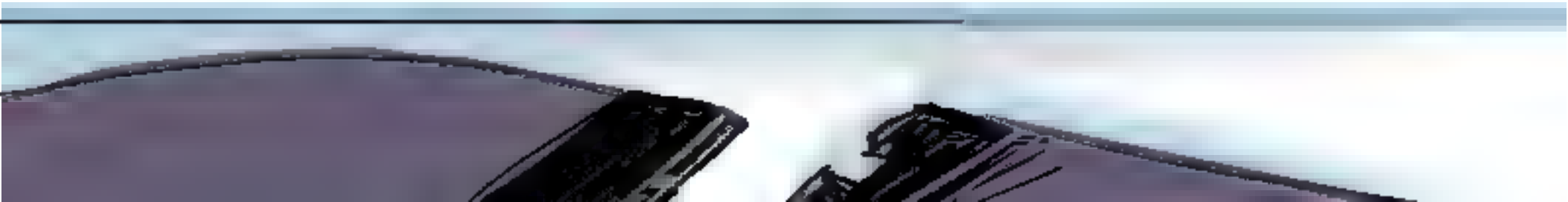
IN DANGER!

THERE'S
NO WAY I'M
TAKING YOU OUT
IN THE FIELD WITH A

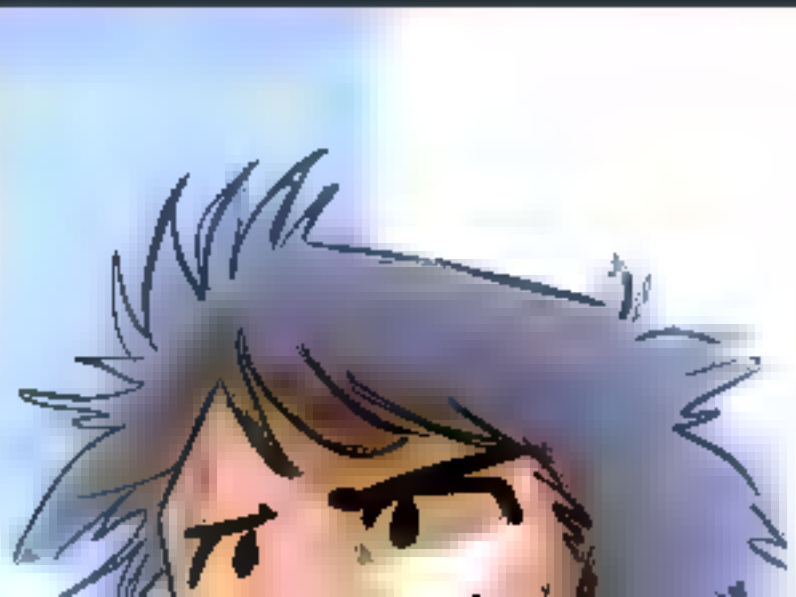
BROKEN ARM. YOU'RE A LIABILITY.

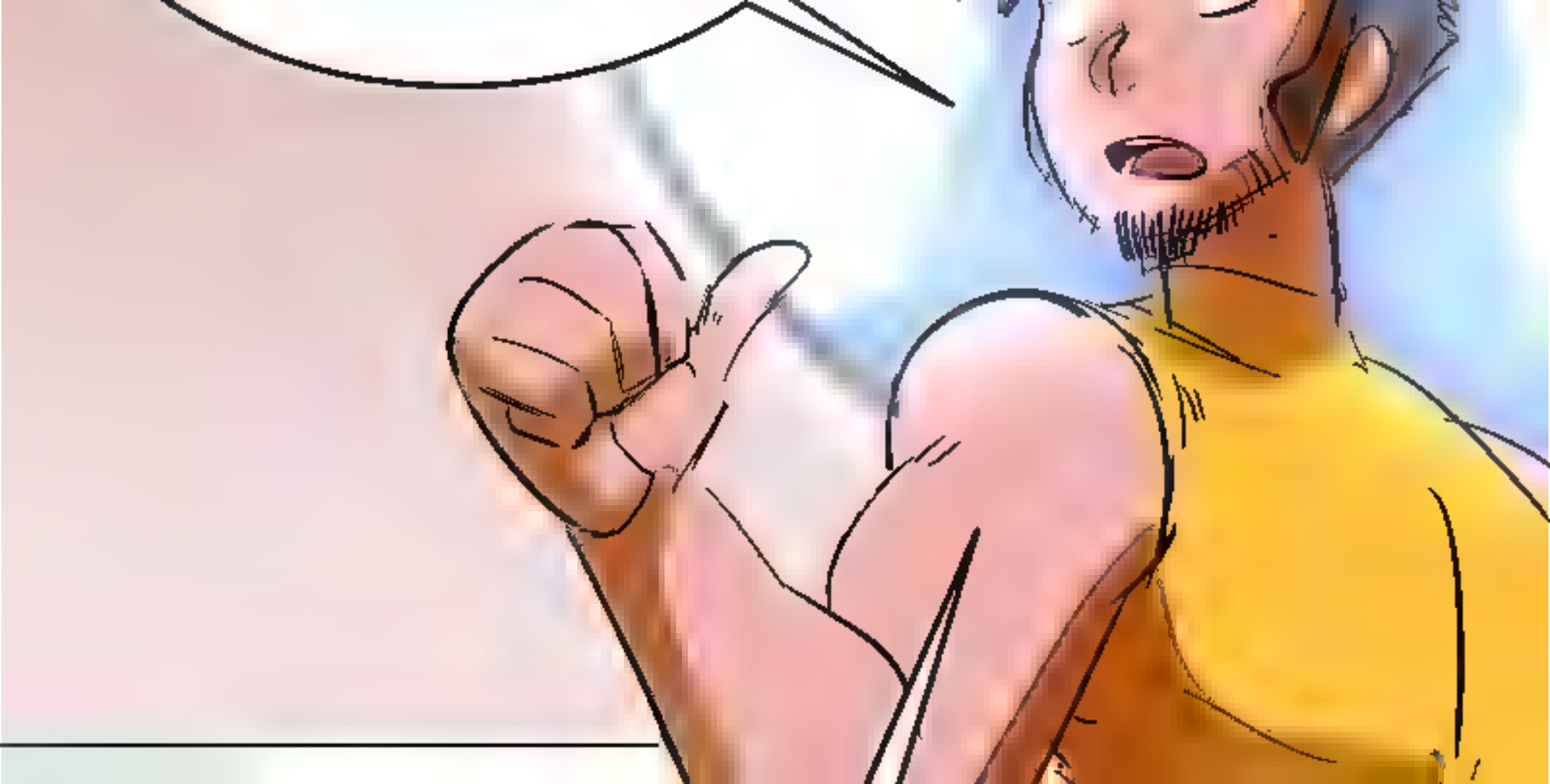

I CAN HANDLE A BROKEN ARM, I'VE ALREADY SURVIVED WITHOUT IT FOR MONTHS!

IT FOR MONTHS!



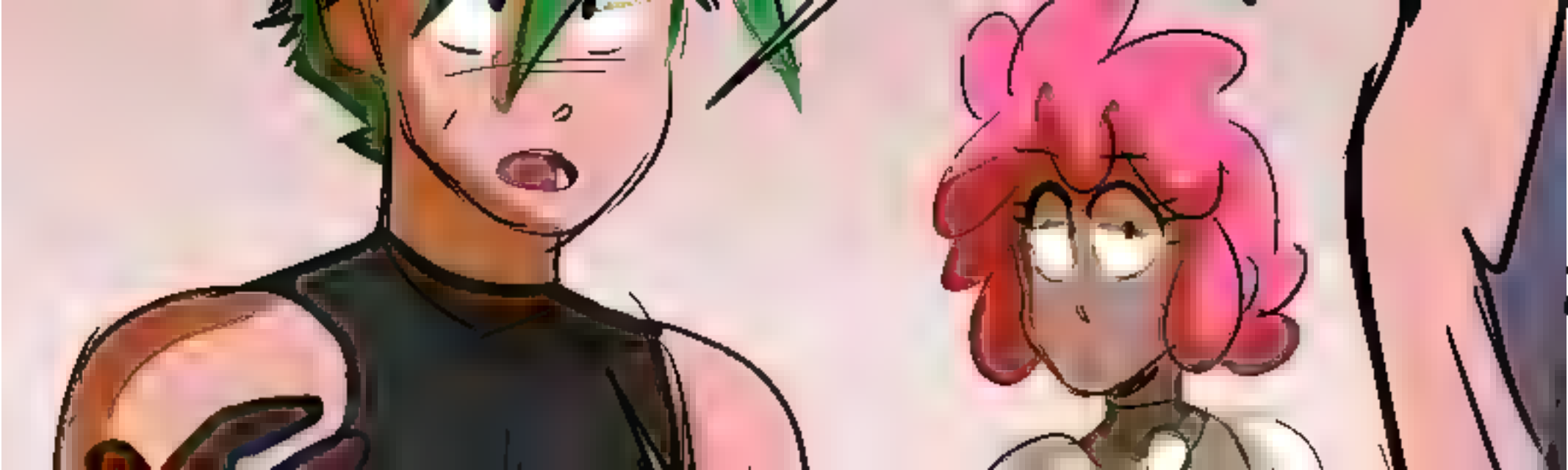
THERE'S NO NEED TO TAKE THAT RISK. AS LONG AS YOU'RE WITH ME, TIME IS RELATIVE.



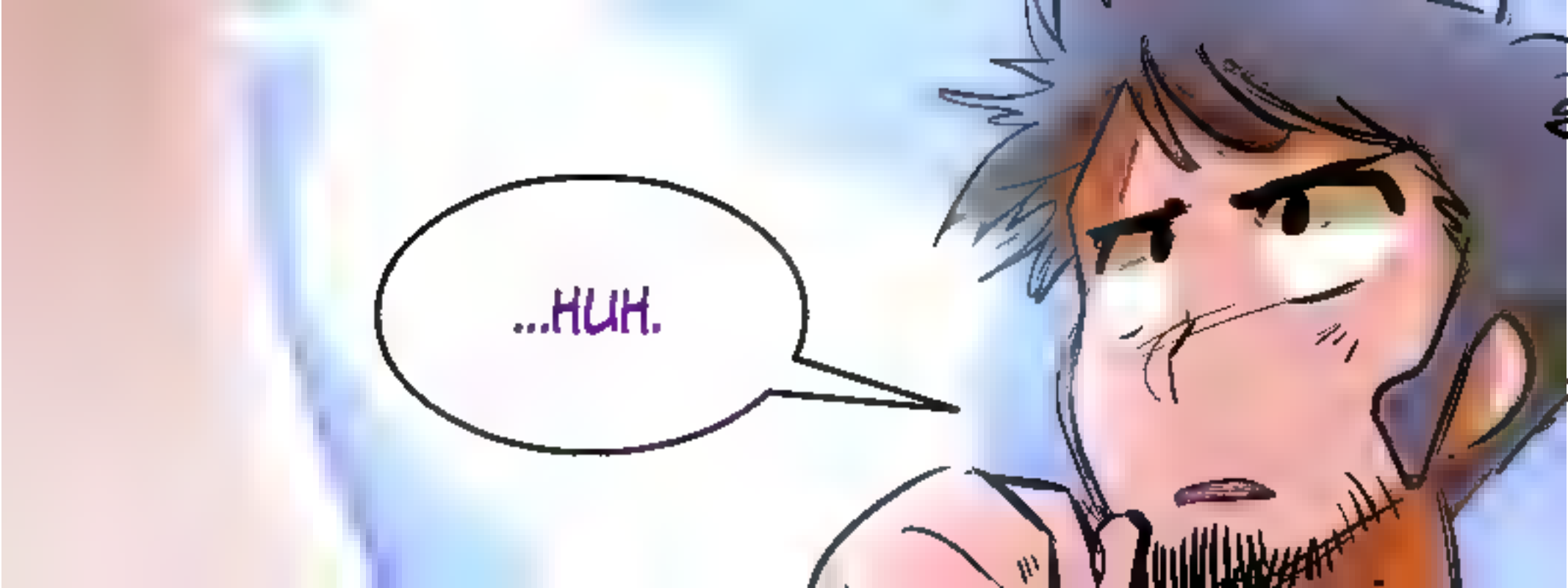


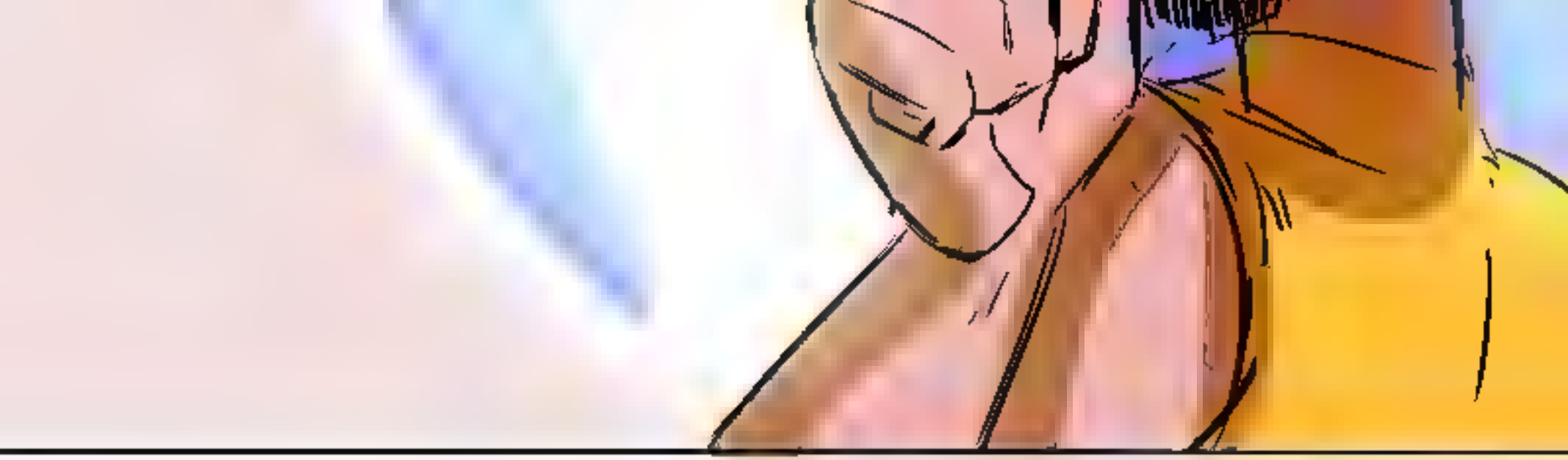
IT DOESN'T MATTER IF WE LEAVE TODAY OR NEXT YEAR, WE CAN TRAVEL TO THE MOMENT BEFORE DON DOES SOMETHING AND STOP HIM.

WHAT IF DON ATTACKS US *HERE* WHILE WE'RE WAITING AROUND?



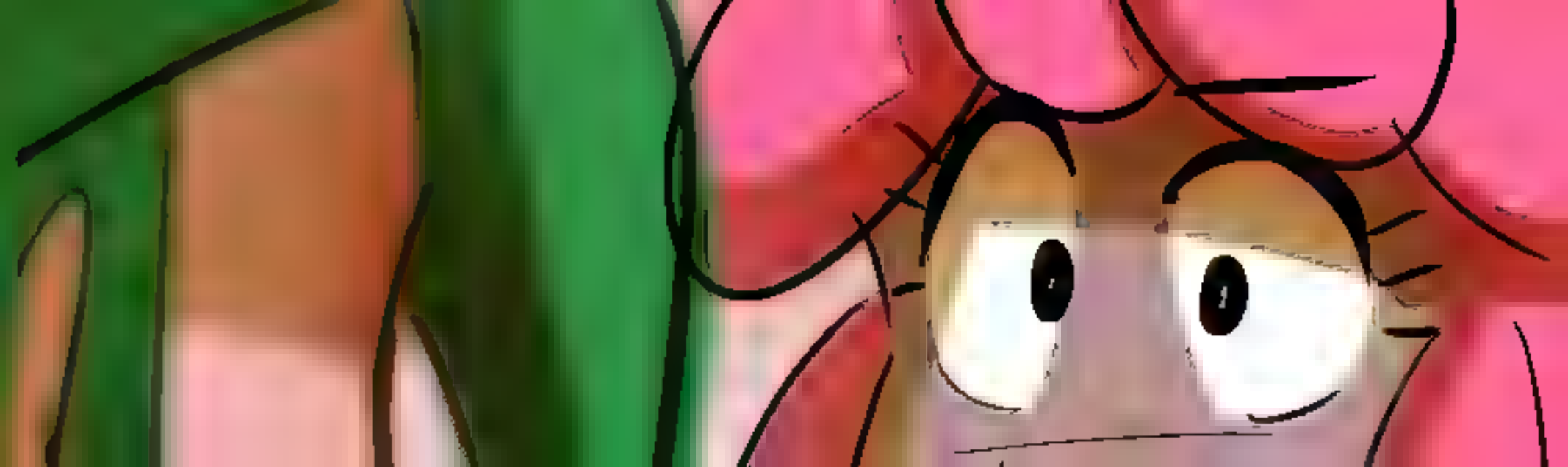
WE CAN'T TIME TRAVEL IF WE'RE DEAD.


...HUH.



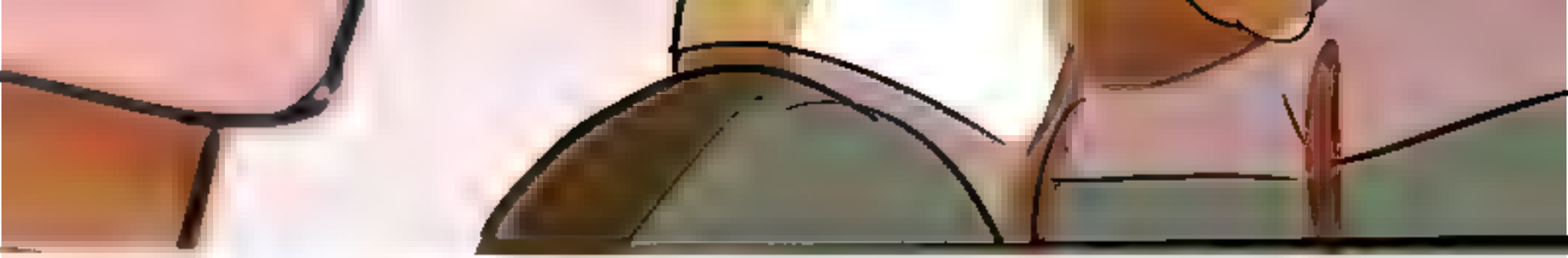
GREAT IDEA, SYL!

AND NEPHTHYS
IN ANCIENT EGYPT,
SO IT'S PRACTICALLY
OUR NEXT STOP
ANYWAY!

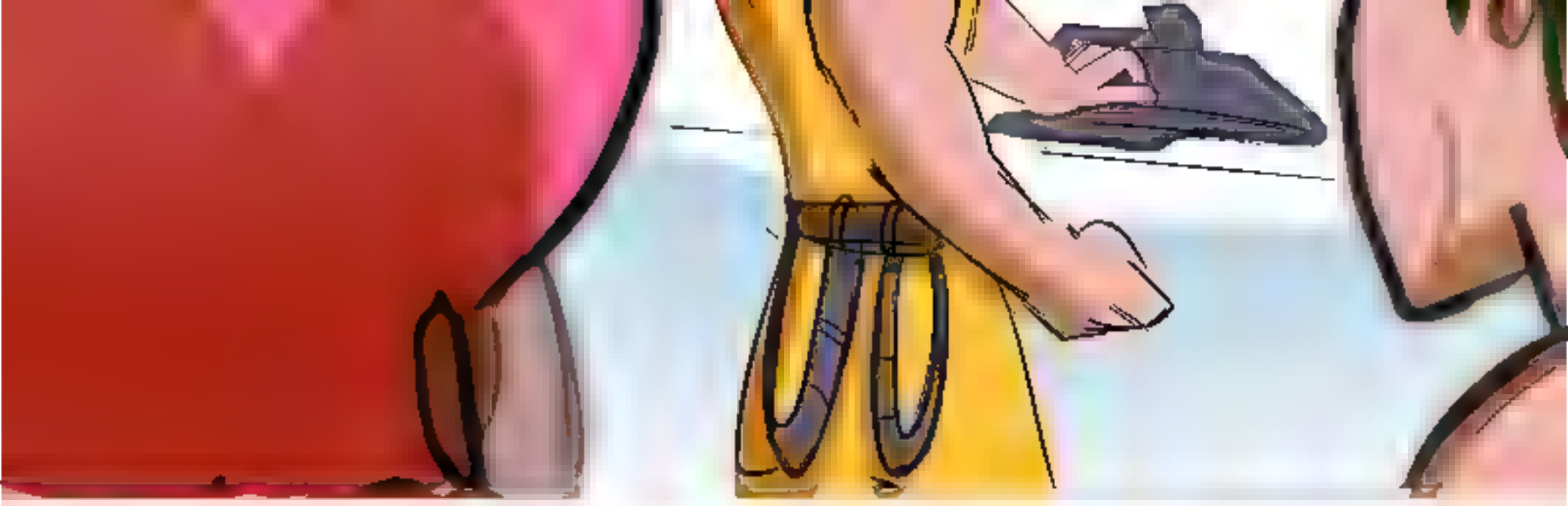


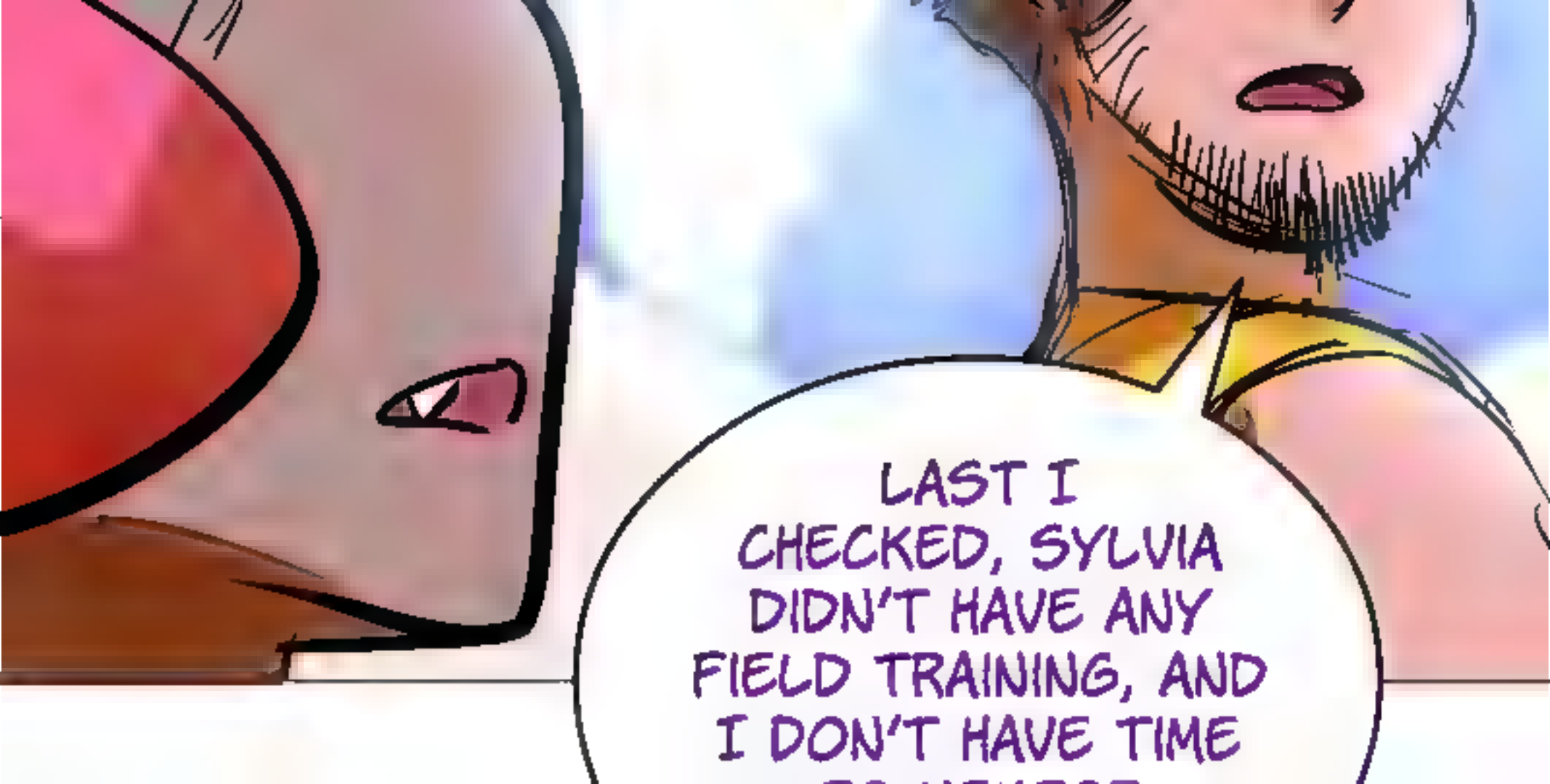
NOD

TIME OUT, YOU TWO, IT'S STLL MY JOB TO PLAN THE MISSIONS!



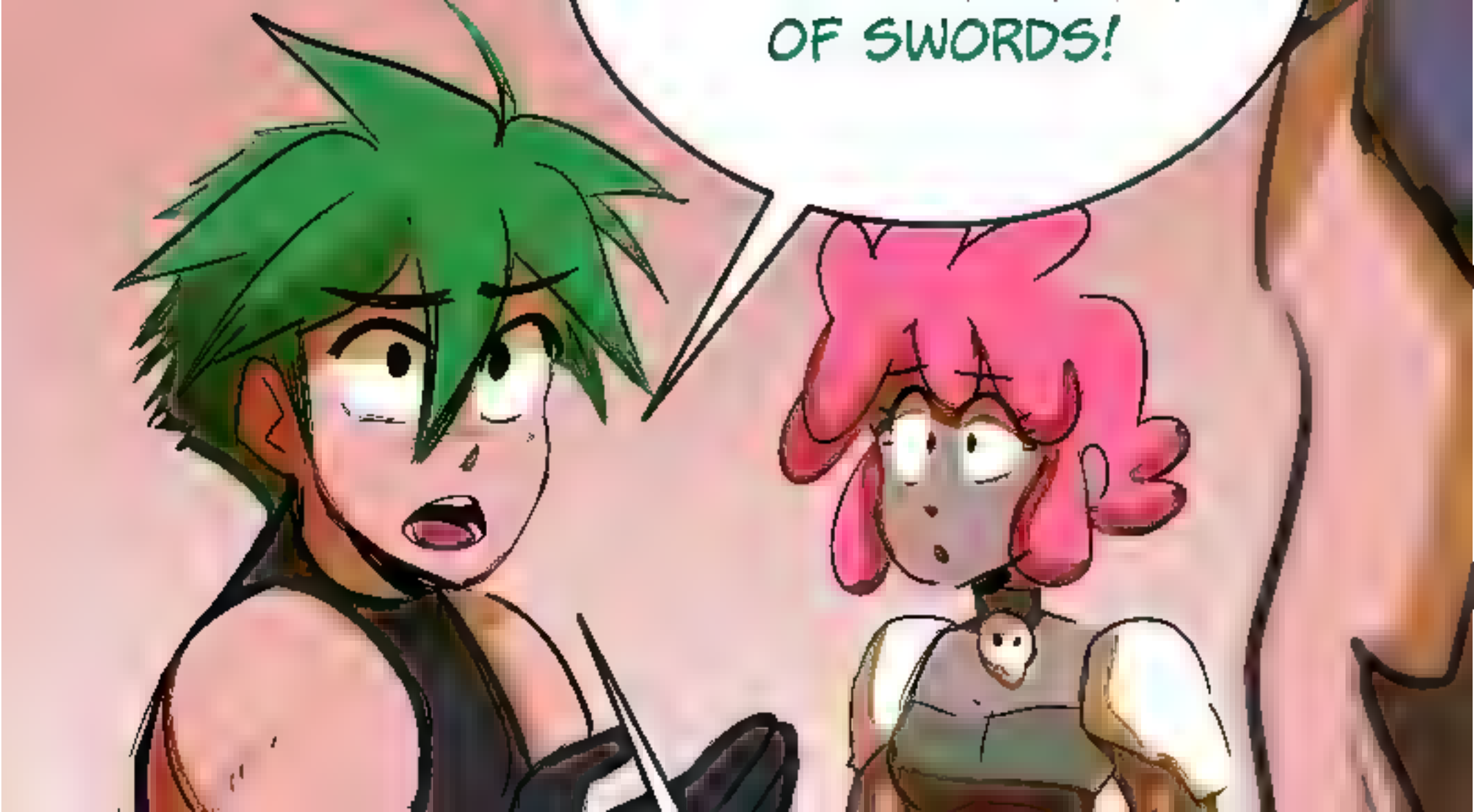
BESIDES...
"WE"?




LAST I CHECKED, SYLVIA DIDN'T HAVE ANY FIELD TRAINING, AND I DON'T HAVE TIME

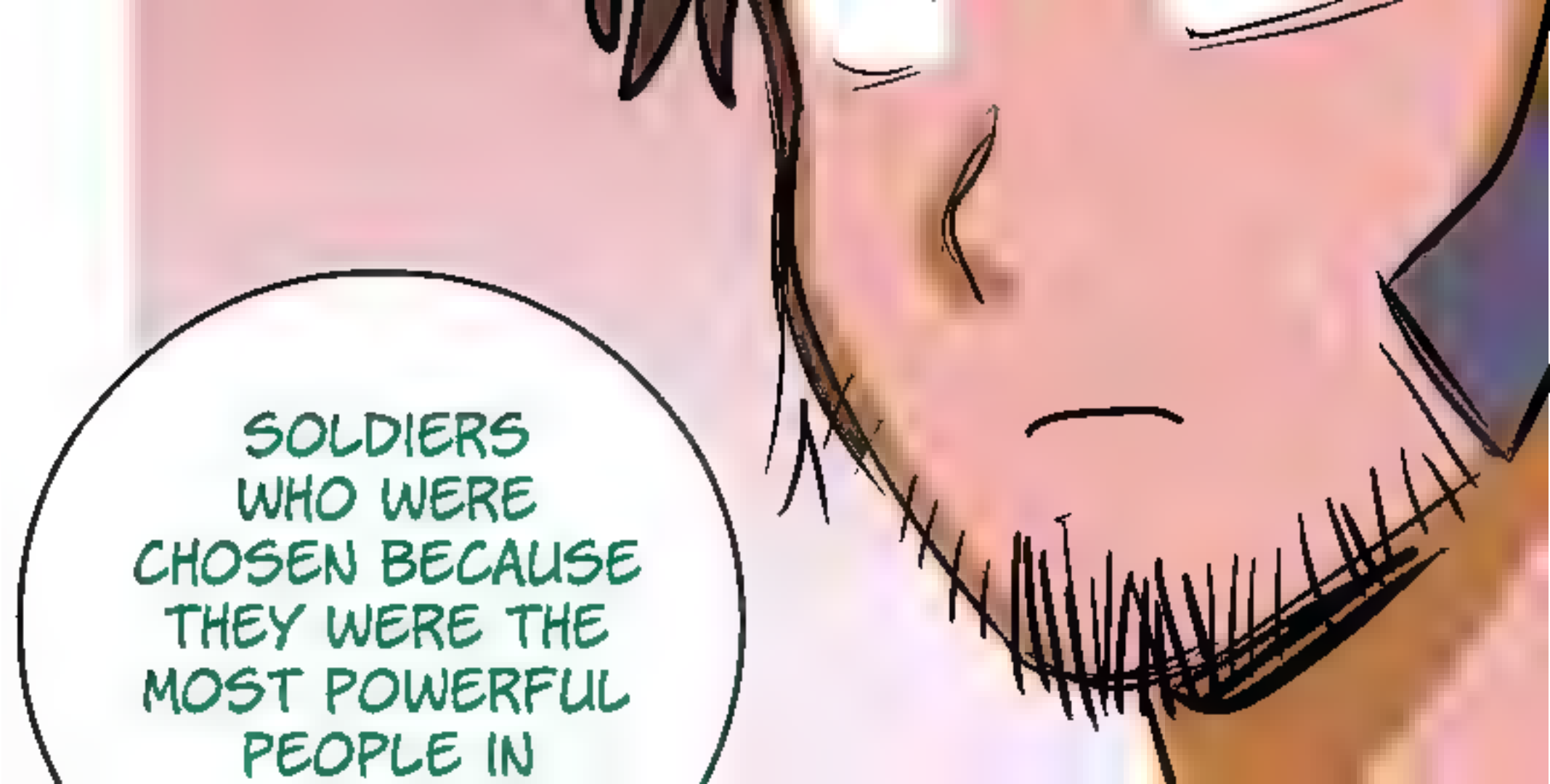
TO MENTOR ROOKIES.

SYL'S NOT A ROOKIE! SHE WENT HEAD TO HEAD WITH DON IN THE ROOM


OF SWORDS!

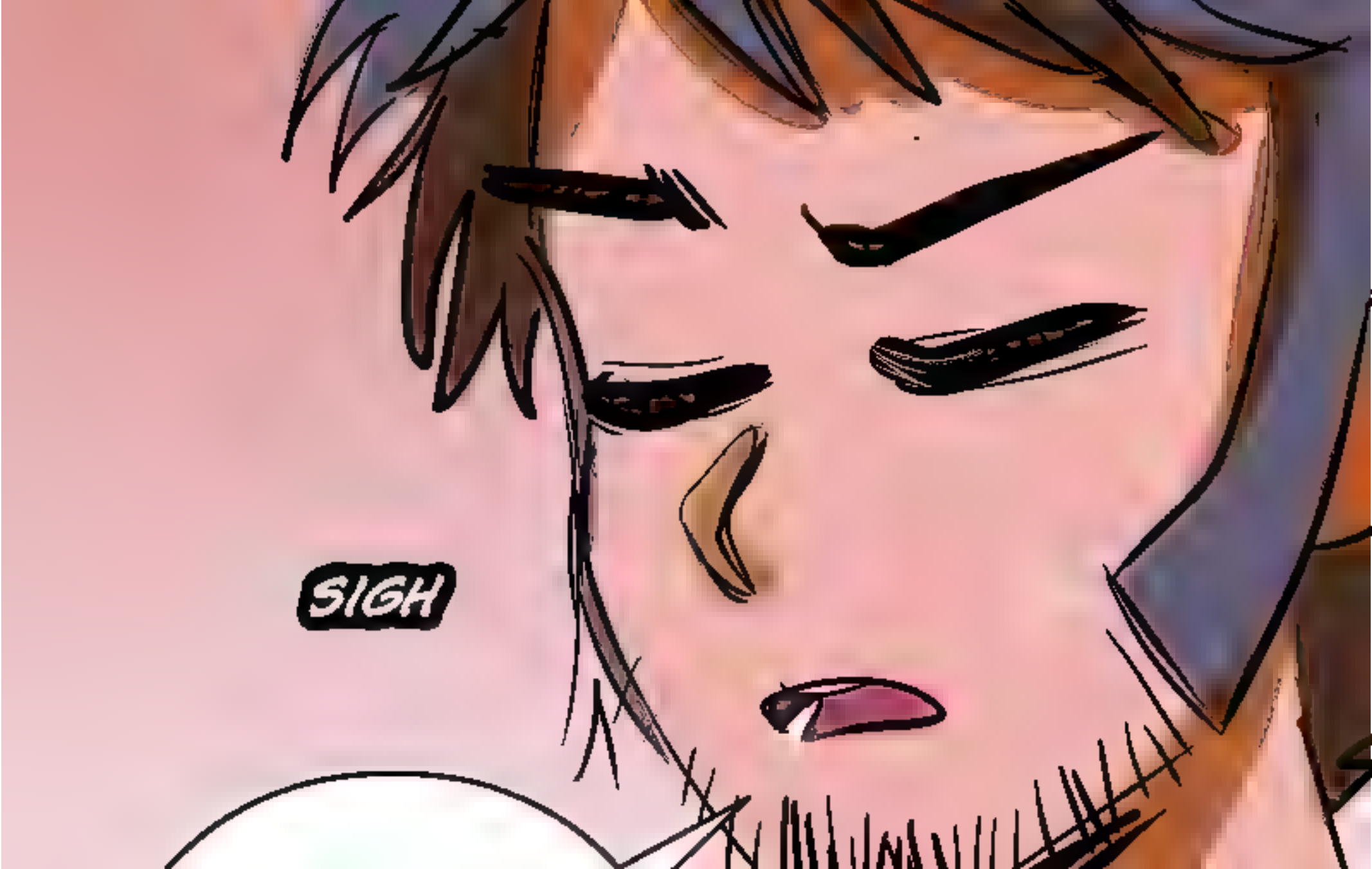
AND YOU SAID
YOURSELF THAT
THE PEOPLE IN THE

ROOM OF SWORDS
WERE ONCE VSC
SOLDIERS!


SOLDIERS WHO WERE CHOSEN BECAUSE THEY WERE THE MOST POWERFUL PEOPLE IN

HISTORY.

ISN'T SHE EXACTLY THE KIND OF PERSON WE NEED ON OUR TEAM NOW?


SIGH

FINE,
YOU WIN,
CADET.

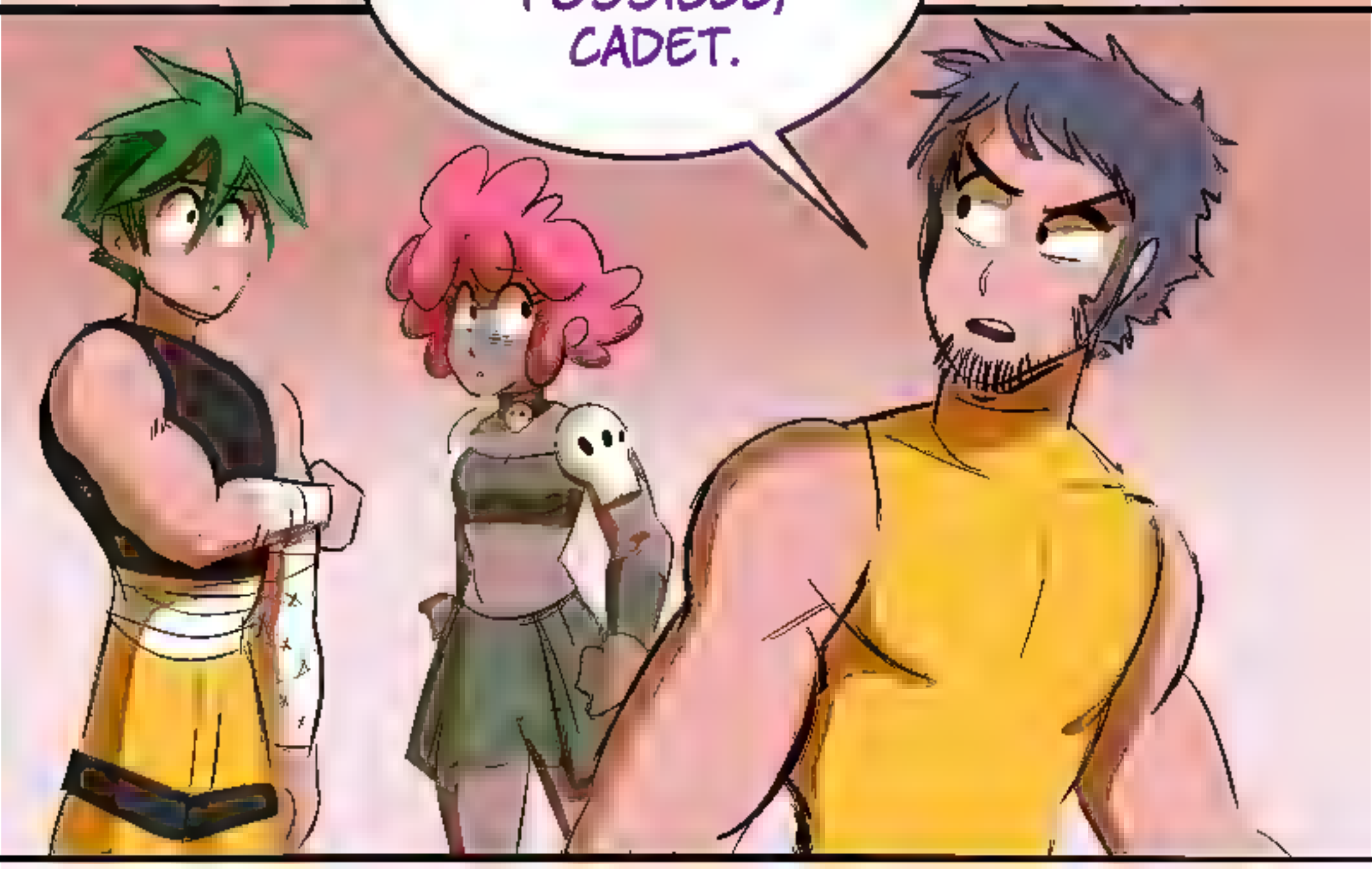
BUT FIRST,
SLEEP.

WE'LL
LEAVE FOR

ANCIENT EGYPT
IN 10 HOURS.

BUT
THE WHOLE
POINT WAS TO
GO AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE!

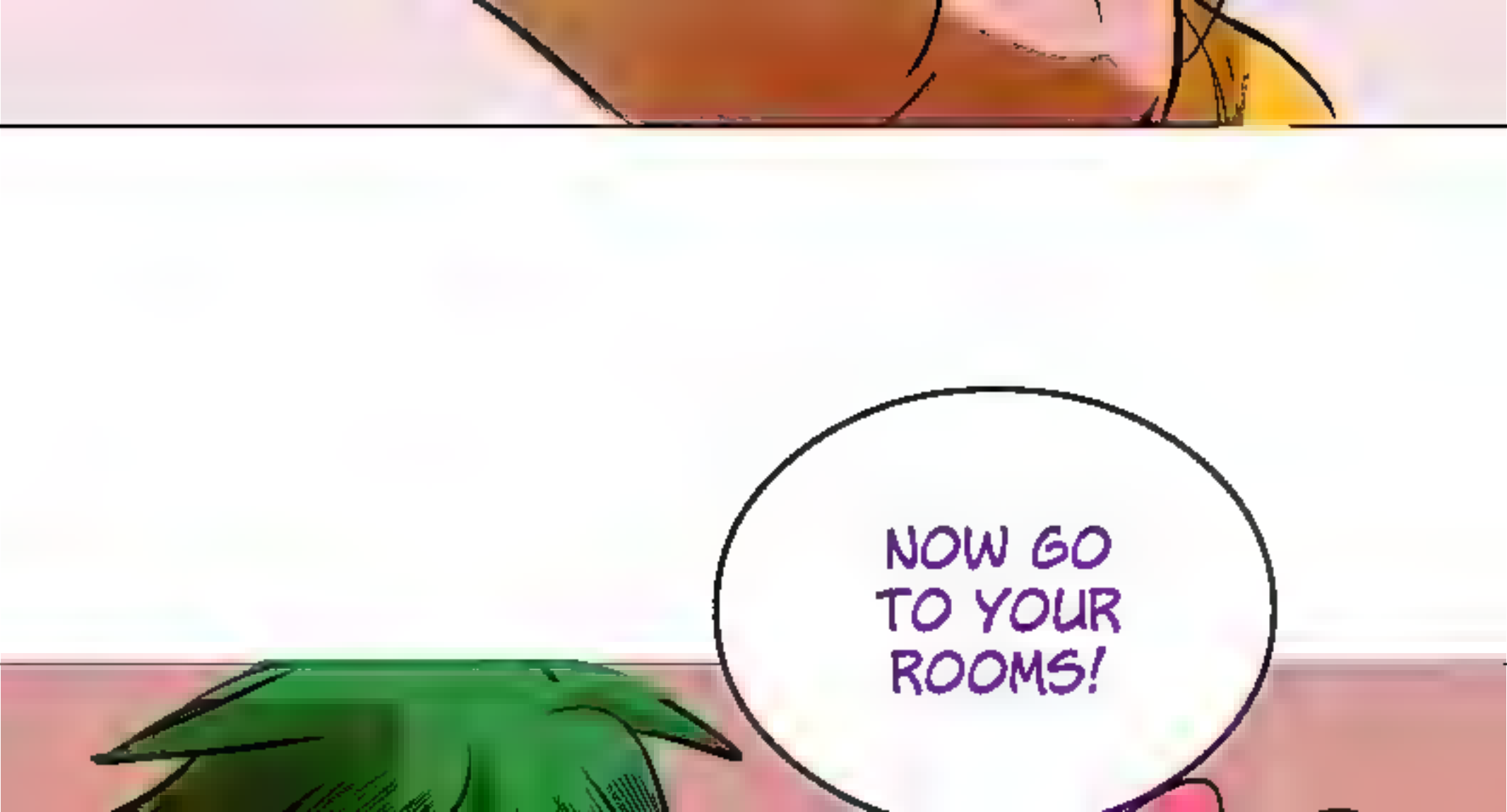
A GOOD
NIGHT'S SLEEP
MAKES ANYTHING
POSSIBLE


CADET.

BUT--

CAPTAIN'S
DECISION IS

FINAL.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ROOM of
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